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WILSON ASKED TO BREAK WITH MEXICO

WASHINGTON, Dec. 3—A resolution requesting President Wilson to sever diplomatic relations with Mexico was introduced today by Senator Fall, Republican, New Mexico, chairman of the senate committee charged with an investigation of the Mexican situation.

Explaining his resolution, which also asked that the president withdraw recognition of Carranza, Senator Fall declared it was based on evidence which would "astound the world" when produced. The resolution was referred to the foreign relations committee.

"I charge," said Senator Fall, "that the Mexican embassy, the consulate general in New York and the consulate general in San Francisco have been actively engaged in the distribution of Bolsheviki propaganda, and that this has been done with the knowledge and consent of Venustiano Carranza."

WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 3.—The secretary of war would be authorized under a resolution introduced today by Senator Ashurst, Democrat, Arizona, to use the nation's military forces to protect Americans on the American side of the border, who are threatened by the activities of Mexican outlaws or other belligerent factions in the southern republic.

Senator Ashurst declared that for eight and a half years he had sought in vain for action by the war department to protect the lives of those along the frontier. He accused the government of adopting a supine attitude which had encouraged the Mexicans to believe they could strike with impunity.

Declaring that Mexicans now were gathering on the frontier in such numbers as to appear menacing, the senator appealed for an adequate mobilization of American forces.

"Let us protect the lives of American with'n the United States anyway" he added.

Senator Ashurst said he doubted whether congress would adopt his resolution, which was referred to the military committee, but he added that all he hoped to do was to have "the senate and house tell the war department at least to protect the citizens of the United States that are in the United States."

WASHINGTON, D. C. Dec. 3.—Chairman Lodge of the senate foreign committee, late today called a special committee meeting for tomorrow to take action on the Fall resolution and any other question arising from the Mexican situation.

THE FALL RESOLUTION

WASHINGTON, D. C. Dec. 3.—Senator Fall's resolution, asking that President Wilson sever diplomatic relations with Mexico follows:

"Resolved by the senate, the house of representatives concurring, that the action taken by the department of state in reference to the pending controversy between this government and the government of Mexico should be approved; and further that the president of the United States be, and he is hereby requested, to withdraw from Venustiano Carranza the recognition heretofore accorded him by the United States as president of the republic of Mexico, and to sever all diplomatic relations now existing between this government and the pretended government of Carranza."

MEXICO CITY, Tuesday, Dec. 2.—The solution of difficulties arising out of international affairs with the United States were entrusted to President Carranza without legislative intrusion by the senate at a secret session held today. Relations with the United States were declared during the session as being "very delicate."

THE YOUNG LADY ACROSS THE WAY

The young lady across the way says she didn't get the idea that all ripe olives are poisonous just because of a few asphyxiations.

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JENKINS REFUSES TO COMPROMISE

NASHVILLE, TENN., Dec. 3.—"I am now in prison because I refuse to give bail for one cent, as I will not even compromise with them under any circumstances," W. O. Jenkins, the American consular agent at Puebla, Mexico, states in a letter received today by John H. Edgerton, of Lebanon, Tennessee, who was captain of the Vanderbilt football team, when Jenkins played tackle.

Writing in the Puebla penitentiary, Jenkins said:

"I regret very much the great notoriety that has been given to my hard luck in being carried away by some bandits, who live near here, but it has been unavoidable, although the incident would have been forgotten if the authorities had not tried to cover up their criminal responsibility in allowing this city to be unguarded by charging me with my own abduction. So they have used every means possible to get certain evidence to cover up their absurd pretentions.

"I have never in all my life seen such farce as they are carrying out here for I have been condemned without being allowed to present a single witness in my behalf, though I had them ready and even presented them to the courts, but was told that they were too busy to hear them.

"At the present moment (November 21), the secretary of the embassy at Mexico City, is here taking this testimony, that it may be presented to the state department inasmuch as the courts refuse to accept it.

"I have plenty of testimonies to offset any false evidence that they can possibly produce, but as I say, Mexican justice is of a certain brand *at* the present time and it cannot be changed."

FURTHER DISRUPTION OF NATION'S INDUSTRY BY SHORTAGE OF COAL SUPPLY

CHICAGO, Dec. 3.—Further disruption of national industry because of the fuel shortage brought about by the strike of bituminous coal miners was in prospect today. Regional directors of railroads had authority to annul passenger trains, where the public would be least inconvenienced, and many additional manufacturing plants throughout the country faced shut downs, either through exhaustion of their coal supplies or the strict rationing decreed by the federal fuel administrator.

State Officials Without Encouragement

State executives, who, under appeals from their constituents for aid, have sought ways and means for replenishing the dwindling fuel supply, today virtually were without encouragement as regarded increased production. Only in isolated instances were there reports of a change of front on the part of the miners.

A slight ray of hope, however, was found in optimistic reports from operators of the district embracing southeastern Kentucky, Tennessee and Virginia that the backbone of the strike there had been broken; the return to work of miners at one small mine in Missouri, with the statement that they, as Americans, could not see their neighbors suffer, and adoption by miners of one West Virginia subdistrict of a resolution favoring a general return to work under the 14 percent wage increase "until a satisfactory adjustment is made."

Rather Gloomy Outlook

On the other hand, cutting off of electric advertising and other nonessential use of power and fuel, with the added prospect of further curtailment of industry, brought to the general public a rather gloomy outlook. Some regional coal directors estimated that with reductions of working staffs already made, or threatened, should the strike not be broken immediately, the number of employes thrown out of work soon would surpass several times over the approximately 400,000 mine workers involved in the walk-out.

Conditions at the mines today showed no appreciable change from yesterday. There was no indication of an intention to resume production in the great central competitive field, Illinois, Indiana, western Pennsylvania and Ohio.

The output of the surface mines in Kansas, being worked by volunteers under protection of state and federal soldiers, today promised to be increased as the men got the "hang" of the work and their forces were augmented. The governor of Nebraska continued to urge men of his state to volunteer to work in the mines of near-by coal producing states and the dispatching of troops into the coal fields of Missouri was regarded by some as a forerunner of attempted state operation of these mines.

U. S. DELEGATION TO SAIL FOR HOME NEXT WEEK

PARIS, Dec. 3.—The American delegation to the peace conference, with most of its personnel, will sail for the United States from Brest next week. The day has not been fixed.

The question whether one delegate shall remain to continue participation in the work of the supreme council rests, it is stated, is entirely with the state department at Washington.

The understanding here from the best obtainable information is that if none of the delegates is left here, Ambassador Wallace will be given such powers as will make the American participation in the subsequent work of the peace conference quite as effective as if the delegates were to remain.

Senate Orders A Probe of Michigan Election Contest

WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 3.—Investigation of the Ford-Newberry senatorial election contest from Michigan, was authorized today by the senate, which adopted a resolution by Senator Pomerene, Democrat, Ohio, providing for the inquiry.

No roll call was necessary and there was less than a minute's discussion to bring out that the measure previously had been approved by the privileges and elections committee, which will conduct the inquiry.

Hearings under the resolution are not expected to start until after the holidays and they may be confined to the election since the alleged frauds during the primaries now are being dealt with by the courts.

ORDER HUGE TANK SHIPS

NEW YORK, Dec. 3.—Two tank steamships of 20,500 deadweight tons each, which will be the largest bulk oil carriers in the world, have been ordered by the Standard Oil Company, it was made known here today. The tankers will cost approximately $3,500,000 each and will have a cargo capacity for 140,000 barrels of liquid fuel.

ANGELES' WIDOW REPORTED ILL

Mme. Fell Angeles (right), the latest photo of General Angeles, and his daughter Isabel.

Mme. Felipe Angeles, widow of the Mexican general who was executed by the Carranza government the day before Thanksgiving, is reported seriously ill in New York where she and her daughter Isabel and three sons staying with friends.

Low Exemptions In New Proposed Income Tax Law

COLUMBUS, O., Dec. 3.—The proposed income tax law, drafted by the joint taxation committee, was introduced in the two houses today. Exemptions under the law are lowered from $1,000 and $2,000 to $500 and $1,000. Single men will be allowed an exemption of only $500 and married men $1,000 and $200 for each dependent child. The rate is fixed at 1 percent on the first $4,000 annual income and 2 percent on each additional thousand.

The rate is the same as the federal income tax law, but the exemptions are lower. The law is designed as a revenue getter to bring relief to financially embarrassed state, city and county governments. It is estimated that it will produce $7,000,000 annually.

The bill provides that 25 percent of the revenue shall go to the state government and 75 percent will remain in local taxing districts.

Collection of the tax will be in the hands of county auditors, the state tax commission being given supervisory powers. The graduated automobile tax bill, the first revenue producing measure on the taxation committee's program, will be up for passage in the house this afternoon. As this bill now stands, it provides for a tax of $8 on machines of less than 25 horsepower; $12 for machines of less than 35 horsepower and $20 for machines of 35 horsepower or more. In addition to these schedules, trucks will be taxed 20 cents per 100 on the weight of the truck and carrying capacity.

This measure is expected to produce an annual revenue of $6,000,000 for road and street maintenance only. The tax is to be collected by county auditors and 50 percent sent to the state and 50 percent retained in the district in which the tax is collected.

Representative Crabbe, chairman of the house temperance committee, was drafting a new prohibition enforcement measure, which he may introduce in the house today following a conference with a select committee made of both Democrats and Republicans and including men who voted against passage of the former Crabbe act. Crabbe's bill will be less drastic than the one offered by Senator Miller, leader of the dry forces in the upper house. It will define intoxicating liquors according to the definition given in the federal prohibition act, provide against search and seizure in private residences and carry a wide range of penalties for violation so as to give judges wide discretionary power in the punishment of violators.

It will be a short bill, minus many of the regulatory provisions of the Volstead act, and the bill in the hands of Senator Miller. Crabbe said Democrats and members who had voted against the former bill sponsored by him, which was defeated in a referendum, had promised support of the new measure.

The bill creates no new law enforcing machinery, leaving enforcement in the hands of the attorney general for the state and county prosecutors for the county. Only county sheriffs and police authorities in cities are given the right to make arrests or execute search and seizure warrants. The search and seizure provisions of the federal act are adopted in this bill. Penalties will be the same as those in the federal act.

Rural members of the legislature

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HAMBONE'S MEDITATIONS

8,000 IDLE

GARY, IND., Dec. 3.—Eight thousand steel workers were thrown out of work here today, when the American Sheet and Tin Plate Company, the largest manufacturing concern of its kind in the world, was forced to close down because of the coal shortage. All mills of the company were forced to be shut down completely and reports reached here that the company's plants at Elwood, Indiana, employing 4,000 to 5,000 persons, also had banked its fires.

WOULD RESTORE BULL FIGHTS

MEXICO CITY, Tuesday, Dec. 3.—By an overwhelming vote, the Mexican chamber of deputies today passed a bill restoring bull fights. The senate will vote on the measure tomorrow.

Senate Orders Probe Of Trade Commission

WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 3.—General investigation of the federal trade commission was ordered today by the senate. Besides inquiry into charges of Senator Watson, Republican, Indiana, that the commission is a hot-bed of Socialism and Bolshevism, the investigators will take up the commission's attitude towards business interests and its general value as a federal agency.

The inquiry will be conducted by the senate interstate commerce committee of which Senator Cummins, Republican, Iowa, is chairman. The resolution adopted originally was confined to Senator Watson's charges, but was broadened at Senator Cummins' suggestion.

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Germans Refuse To Sign Protocol

PARIS, Dec. 3.—(By the Associated Press)—Germany is willing to sign the protocol putting the peace treaty into effect the moment certain clauses objectionable to her in the protocol are eliminated, Baron Kurt Von Lersner, head of the German delegation here, told the Associated Press this afternoon.

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PARIS, Dec. 3—Germany has decided not to sign the protocol presented to her by the allies as a condition for putting the peace treaty into effect, the peace conference has been notified.

It was learned today that Baron Kurt Von Lersner, head of the German delegation here, called on Secretary Dutasta of the conference, on Monday and told him that Germany had made such a decision.

This attitude is taken as confirming reports of a sharp reaction in Germany within the last fortnight. Trained observers of German developments have expressed to members of the peace conference the view that there has been a complete transformation of the situation in Germany and that it is due to the failure of the United States senate to ratify the peace treaty.

These observers declare that while the vast majority of the Germans, before the senate's adjournment, desired the peace treaty ratified as soon as possible, they are now supporting the government's attitude in resisting the demands of the allies for indemnity for the sinking of the German fleet at Scapa Flow, recompense for which is provided in the protocol.

The question upon which the Germans representatives here, however, appear most sensitive is the insistence upon the trial of German officers accused of the commission of crimes in France and Belgium.

Thus far, it is stated, no indications have reached Paris of any disposition on the part of the Germans to modify their attitude.

The supreme council today addressed a note to Germany protesting against the increase of Germany's armament, contrary to the provisions of the peace treaty.

DARING BANDIT CAPTURED AFTER A THRILLING CHASE

DOUGLAS, WYO., Dec. 3.—That William Carlisle, train bandit, who is in a local hospital following his capture yesterday by Sheriff Roach, will not die from the effects of the bullet wound in his lung received at the time of his capture, was announced this morning by the attending physician. The patient spent a comfortable night and his recovery is said to be but a matter of weeks.

DOUGLAS, WYO., Dec 3. — Two score more years of prison life, possibly death in the electric chair confronted "Bill" Carlisle, train bandit, as he lay today in a hospital with a bullet hole in his chest while armed guards hovered in the background of hospital nurses to prevent his escape.

The artful train robber who for three weeks had laughingly defied federal, railroad and private detectives was captured today near Glend, Wyo., after he had been seriously wounded.

The well known bandit, who had secluded himself in the cabin of Frank Williams about eighteen miles from Douglas, fought desperately the posse which had been in pursuit until he felt from wounds. He was shot through one lung.

Glad Chase is Over

Suffering from his wound and benumbed by the extreme cold, Carlisle when brought to a Douglas hospital said:

"I am glad the chase has ended."

Carlisle attracted nation wide interest, when, after escaping from the penitentiary in this state, he held up and robbed the passengers of a Los Angeles limited on November 18. After that crop de, messages purporting to be from him and taunting officials because of their vain efforts to capture him, were received throughout the country.

It was reported recently that the chase had been abandoned, as it was believed that the prolific bandit had gone the way of others in Wyoming—into the hole-in-the-wall in the "Bad Lands" of the state.

A force of Union Pacific detectives, headed by Charles Irwin of Cheyenne, captured the bandit.

Irwin also had aided in apprehending Carlisle in 1916 after he had held up a Union Pacific train near Hanna.

When captured the outlaw made no effort to conceal his identity. He was given first aid treatment, and then strapped to a pack horse and carried down the mountain. He told members of the posse that he had been in the Laramie Peak country since he robbed the Los Angeles limited.

Carlisle's trail through a heavy snow had been followed since early Sunday morning by two posses. Early today he had escaped capture by jumping from a window of the Widow Bray's ranch house when some of his pursuers entered.

Drive Through Blizzard

Sheriff A. S. Roach of Wheatland, who shot Carlisle before his capture, organized one posse which drove through a bitter blizzard Sunday to the ranch of Bob Fletcher at the head of Fish Creek on the south side of Laramie Peak. The snow became so deep that it was impossible to proceed further with teams and they made their way to the top of the peak on horseback. The drifts then became so large that the horses were abandoned and the remainder of the hunt was made on foot.

The posse learned that the bandit had skipped about, eating his meals first at one rancher's home and then at another. He had his Thanksgiving dinner at the ranch of Will m Hill.

Fresh Trail is Found

This morning the bandit evaded the posse by doubling back on his trail, but the fresh trail he left behind was easily followed to the Williams ranch in the wildest part of Laramie Peak. When the officials had surrounded the house Williams informed them that Carlisle was inside. The latter ran from the kitchen where he had been sitting into the front room where he procured an automatic pistol. It was not long, however, until his career as a bandit was ended for the present.

Carlisle escaped from the state penitentiary on November 15 in a box of shirts shipped from the prison factory. In making his escape after robbing the limited, he was wounded in the right

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BILLY-BUFF-IN
TIMES WEATHER MAN

Folks can't complain about not havin' enough warnings about the approach of this cold snap. Yep th' annual "shop early" rush 'll soon begin. Here's your weather:

OHIO—Fair tonight and Thursday; not quite so cold Thursday.

LYRIC

TWO DAYS ONLY TODAY AND TOMORROW

Adults—25c
Children—15c

ELSIE
FERGUSON in
"A SOCIETY EXILE"
An ARTCRAFT Picture

Lies! Jealousy! The crack of a pistol—and the world had another "sensation." What though the "other woman" was all that a woman should be? Friends, home, honor fell away—only love remained. See this mighty drama of a good woman whom the world scorned.—Beautiful gowns—Lavish sets.

Also A New Mack-Sennett Comedy

"The Foolish Age"

NOTICE! Beginning today the Lyric will open at 1:15 p. m. and run continuous shows until 10 p. m.—No more closing up during supper period.

A. KLINE TO OCCUPY NEW BUILDING TO BE ERECTED ON GALLIA STREET

A. Kline, proprietor of "The Fashion," made the interesting announcement Wednesday that a new building would be erected on Gallia street, located between The Sun Theater building and the General Service Co. building which he would occupy as his new store. Mr. Kline stated he hoped the building would be ready for occupancy by early fall and that the contract for the erection of the same would be let just as soon as the architects had completed plans.

The new building will have a frontage of 42 feet and a depth of 120 feet, and three stories high, together with a basement running the entire length. This will give Mr. Kline a floor space of more than 15000 feet, exclusive of the basement. The front of the building will be highly ornamental, while the equipment, such as elevators, cases and furniture, will be of the very latest type.

Mr. Kline expects to have one of the finest stores in this part of the state. He will handle a complete line of ladies' ready-to-wear garments, and will no doubt secure his share of the business. He has built up a splendid business as proprietor of "The Fashion" and earned the reputation of being one of Portsmouth's most progressive and successful merchants.

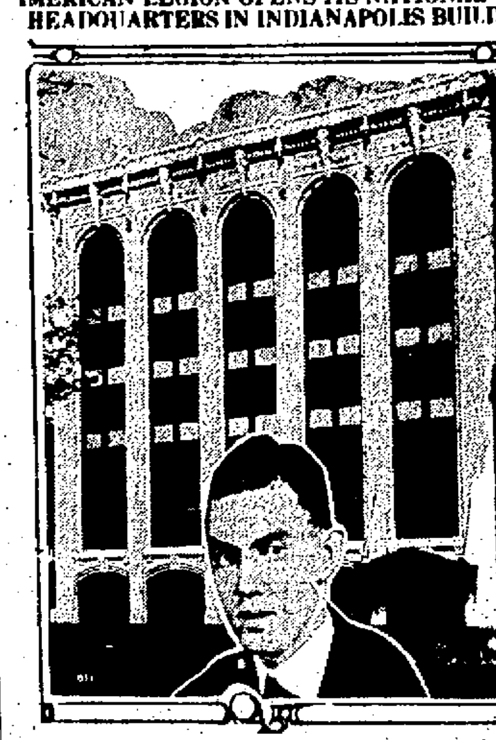
Brasie Is Taken Home

Harold Brasie, son of Charles Brasie, who suffered a broken right leg several weeks ago when the Ford touring car in which he was riding was struck by the Seventh street fire truck, at Ninth and Washington streets, was removed to his home, 1651 Seventh street, this morning in Lynn's ambulance. Several X-ray pictures were taken of the fractured leg.

Just So.

Save daylight as we may, night always arrives in dew time.

AMERICAN LEGION OPENS ITS NATIONAL HEADQUARTERS IN INDIANAPOLIS BUILDING



Home of national headquarters in Indianapolis and Assistant Adjutant Charles F. Sheridan.

Officers of the American Legion are already at work in their new national headquarters in Indianapolis, where temporary offices, covering three floors of a downtown office building have been leased for a year by Lemuel L. Bolles of Seattle national adjutant. Charles F. Sheridan, assistant adjutant, is superintending the opening of headquarters.

To Enjoy Banquet

Through the generosity of about 30 leading merchants the Portsmouth High school football squad, including the loyal second team, will be banqueted Friday evening at the United Brethren church, Seventh and Gay, starting at 6:30 P. M.

A turkey dinner will be served by the Ladies Aid Society of the church, about 25 plates being prepared for.

Those outside of the regular team who will be present and probably give short talks are Messrs. R. E. Scott and Conrad Roth, Karl Zoellner, Doctor G. Micklethwait, C. A. Burnett, and Harry Doerr the officials of the season will be present; while Coach Robert C. Hess and Seymour H. Bl[illegible]n and Principal C. E. Stalley will also be among the guests.

Rev. George P. Horst will likely be toastmaster.

Rifle Club Holds Shoot

The Portsmouth Government Rifle Club scheduled to hold a match with the Springfield Government Rifle Club last night held their shoot here but a telegram was received from Springfield saying that lights went out in their hall and they were unable to shoot last night. The local club was instructed to hold their cards.

The following records were made here last night the score being made out of a possible 500: Thomas Arthurs 423; Charles Huels 332; Dan Flannigan 377; George Wills 354; Harry Williams 363; Adolph Glockner 348; George Carroll 331; Emil Arthurs 302; George Holman 349; and Arthur Bannon 351.

The local range is fifty feet long and the bulls eye is 1-4 inch in diameter.

Back From Pittsburgh

Thomas Bisham, one of the city's pioneer citizens, has returned from a visit to relatives and friends in Pittsburgh.

Injured In Fall From Train

A man who gave the name of William Walker was injured Tuesday night when he fell from a C. & O. train near Firebrick, Ky. He was injured about the head and shoulders and had his injuries dressed in this city. Walker's home is in Covington, Ky. He was stealing a ride when he fell off the train.

Brakeman Hit By Engine

James F. Keyes, 1821 Eighteenth street, N. & W. yard brakeman, was injured about three o'clock this morning when an engine sideswiped him while he was walking through the yards, the collision badly bruising his limbs and back. He was taken to Hempstead Hospital where he was reported resting easier this afternoon. He had a close call from being thrown beneath the wheels of the engine.

Heard Ghost Groan

NEW YORK, Dec. 3.—Occupants of a Ridge street tenement house were almost correct today when they reported to the police that the groans of a "ghost" had been annoying them for two days. Detectives, aided by firemen, dug a hole in a chimney on the home and extracted David Cohen a push cart peddler, who informed them that, business being bad, he had decided to end his life from jumping down the five story chimney Monday morning. He was taken to a hospital suffering chiefly from hunger and exhaustion.

Eastern Stars Elect Officers; Mrs. Simonton Given Jewel

At a meeting of Portsmouth Chapter No. 421, Order Eastern Star, Tuesday evening, the following officers were installed by the R. W. Grand secretary, Mrs. Bessie Boise, of Mt. Sterling, O., assisted by Miss Leah Smith Worthy Matron of R. T. King Chapter Ohio Eastern Star, Columbus.

Local officers are: Worthy Matron, Mrs. Grace Koerner; Worthy Patron, D. A. Grimes; Associate Worthy Matron, Miss Emma Bierley; Treasurer, Miss Elsie Watkins; Secretary, Miss Nan Spencer; Conductress, Mrs. Rosa Dammert; Associate Conductress, Mrs. Hazel Gosnell; Warder, Mrs. Clara Marsh; Adah, Mrs. Ottilie Graf; Ruth, Mrs. Esther Morris; Esther, Miss Laura Bramlin; Martha, Mrs. Jessie Yelty; Electa, Mrs. Myrtle Kehrer; Chaplin, Mrs. Ella Daily; Organist, Miss Grace Andrea; Marshall, Mrs. Hyla Cross; Sentinel, Frank Dammert.

Following the installation the retiring Worthy Matron Mrs. Nettie Simonton, was presented with a Past Worthy Matron Jewel after which refreshments were served.

Reddick Paroled

H. Reddick, who on November 18, 1918, was convicted here with cutting his wife, Fannie Reddick with intent to wound, has been granted a parole by the clemency board of the Ohio penitentiary.

LILLY

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Graslal had as Thursday guests Mr. and Mrs. Will Graslel of Sciotoville and Albert Graslel.

Mrs Joseph Turner and Mrs. Lewis White were calling on Mrs. John Kemper recently.

Alvin and Alonzo White had as Monday evening guests Fred Graslel and Chester Hughes.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Morgan had as Saturday guests Mr. and Mrs. Edward Russell and children, Paul, Leroy and Marion, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Morgan and children and Mrs. Mayme Myers all of Portsmouth.

Mrs. Lewis White was calling on her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs Claude White of Portsmouth.

Joseph and Leroy Turner had as Sunday guests Lloyd and Oscar Baer of South Webster, Henry Hansen and Randy White.

Loses Use Of One Eye

Joseph Koerner, who recently lost the sight of one eye, left today for Cincinnati, where he will consult Dr. Robert Sattler, as his other eye is affected sympathetically.

Returns To Old Job

Charles A. Moreland, formerly metallurgist at the Whitaker-Glessner plant here, has returned to his former position. He left here in 1917 to take a like position at a Youngstown steel plant. He remained there six months, and then went to the Andrews plant at Newport, Ky., where he remained over twenty months. Moreland came to the local plant in 1904 and left in 1917. He has moved his family to 2108 Grandview avenue from Newport.

ROCKY FORK

Rev. Beckett filled his regular appointment here Sunday night. A large crowd attended.

The box supper given by Stella Bradley Thanksgiving night was largely attended.

Miss Martha Fultz called on Edna Kr[illegible] Sunday.

Arthur Robinson of Idaho is visiting relatives and friends at Rocky Fork.

Mr. and Mrs. Oakley Newman of Portsmouth are visiting friends on Rocky this week.

Ray Richards and Clarence Douglas have returned home.

Annie Kratzer and Rosie Howard made a trip to Otway last Thursday.

Homer Carroll has been working in Portsmouth for the past two weeks.

Daughter Is Dead

A telegram received this afternoon by local authorities requested the police to locate Edward Bard, presumed to be in this city, and inform him that his daughter, Emma Bard, is dead at Detroit. The message came from Minnie Bard, 99 W. Grand Boulevard, Detroit.

Buy Grocery On Hilltop

L. V. Darragh of Quincy, Ky., who has been in the city a short time, has bought the John Kessler grocery at Seventeenth and Oakland avenue. Mr. and Mrs. Kessler have moved to a farm near South Webster.

Enjoy Auto Trip

Will Thomas and wife of Sixth street have returned from an automobile trip to Pittsburgh, where they visited relatives.

EGGS $1.00 A DOZEN

CHICAGO, Dec. 3.—Fresh eggs sold at retail for $1.00 a dozen in Chicago today. The receipts were only 583 cases, about one-tenth the normal supply at this season of the year. Butter retailed at 90 cents a pound, with receipts only 2,500 tubs, about one-half the normal day's receipts.

Why She Seeks a New Home.

Tillie Clinger says that the reason she is looking for another home is because the star boarder at her present place is a railroad engineer who wants the government to take over all the boarding houses and let the boarders run them.—Galveston News.

Your skin is a living organ of your body

ALL night—all day—whether you wake or sleep—your skin never rests from its work.

It is far more than a mere covering for your body—it is a *living organ* with vital work to perform.

The beauty of your skin depends on how it works

Is your skin soft, supple, fine in texture, brilliant in color—a delight to everyone whose eyes rest upon it? If so, it is simply in its *healthy, normal* condition—the condition in which everyone's skin *should* be. Its delicate pores are working actively, freely; bringing it the oil and moisture that keep it soft and flexible—carrying away the waste products and allowing it to breathe.

But if for some reason, your skin looks tired, dull—if it lacks the color and freshness you would like it to have—then you can be sure that it is not functioning properly. The pores are not doing their work—the little muscular fibres have become relaxed.

How to rouse a dull, sluggish skin

This condition can be relieved—your complexion *can* be made as fresh, clear, and colorful as you would like to have it. For every day your skin changes—the old skin dies and new skin takes its place. By the proper treatment you can stimulate *this new skin which is constantly forming* into healthy normal activity—you can give it freshness and color.

To correct a skin that has become dull and sluggish, use every night this special treatment with Woodbury's Facial Soap.

Before retiring wash your face and neck with plenty of Woodbury's Facial Soap and warm water. If your skin has been badly neglected, rub a generous lather thoroughly into the pores, using an upward and outward motion. Do this until the skin feels somewhat sensitive. Rinse well in warm water, then in cold. Whenever possible, rub your skin for thirty seconds with a *piece of ice* and dry carefully.

This treatment with Woodbury's cleanses the pores gently and thoroughly and stimulates the fine muscular fibres of your skin, giving it *tone* and life.

You can make your skin finer in texture

Very often a skin lacks beauty from no other fault than a gradual coarsening of its texture. This condition, too, means that your skin is not functioning properly. The pores do not contract and expand as they should—and as a result they have become enlarged. Your skin has lost the smooth, fine look it should have.

Don't feel hopeless about correcting this condition. A smooth, finer-textured skin *can* be yours if you will give it regularly the kind of treatment that its particular need requires.

Try using this special treatment for a skin that is losing its fineness of texture. Every night before retiring dip your wash cloth in very warm water and hold it to your face. Now, take the cake of Woodbury's Facial Soap, dip it in the water and rub *the cake itself* over your skin. Leave the slight coating of soap on for a few minutes until your face feels drawn and dry. Then dampen the skin and rub the soap in gently with an upward and outward motion. Rinse the face thoroughly, first in tepid water, then in cold. Whenever possible, finish by rubbing the face with a *piece of ice*.

Use this treatment regularly, and before long you will notice a marked improvement in the texture of your skin.

Special treatments to meet the needs of each individual type of skin are given in the little booklet which is wrapped around every cake of Woodbury's Facial Soap. Find the treatment that is adapted to *your* skin—then use it every night, regularly and persistently.

You will find that the very first treatment leaves your skin with a slightly *drawn, tight* feeling. This only means that your skin is responding to a more thorough and stimulating kind of cleansing than it has been accustomed to. After a few nights the drawn feeling will disappear, and your skin will emerge from its nightly treatment with such a soft, clean, healthful feeling that you will never again want to use any other method of cleansing your face.

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AN ABSOLUTE NOVELTY—UNIQUE—PLEASING—ENTIRELY DIFFERENT

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COURT HOUSE

Says Wife Carried Gun and Threatened Him

Declaring that his wife carried a revolver and threatened to blow his brains out and accusing her of infidelity and neglect, Ray C. DeWitt is seeking a divorce and custody of minor children in an action filed in Common Pleas court today through Attorney Theo. K. Funk against Goldie DeWitt of New Boston, whom he married Sept. 10, 1913.

In his petition DeWitt alleges the defendant has neg ected him, their 2 children and their home for other men and he names one Geo. Brown as co-respondent. He further asserts she has habitually indulged in the use of profane and insulting language, declared on many occasions she did not love him, ordered him to leave and carried on such a systematic course of violence and oppression as to destroy his peace of mind and the very purpose of the matrimonial relations, besides, he says, she abandoned him and their home a year ago.

Makes Serious Charges

Declaring that her husband was insane y jealous, even to the extent of being jealous of her gir: friends, and alleging that he has spit tobacco juice in her face at various times and that while she was desperately ill with influenza in the fall of 1918 he attempted to throw her out in the snow, Lillian Pe phrey is seeking a divorce and restoration to her maiden name of Cuppett in an action instituted in Common Pleas court today through Attorney T. C. Beatty against Samuel Pelphrey, shoeworker, of Nauvoo, whom she married April 12, 1917

The plaintiff in her petition further alleges that Pelphrey constantly tortured and tormented her, frequently slapped her and asserts that this un-ca'led for abuse and mistreatment has been so continuous that her health has been impaired and declares she can no longer live with him as his wife. She also charges him with neglect and complains that the defendant has failed to provide her with a proper home.

Louis Meyers Gets Decree

On the ground of infidelity Louis Meyers was granted a decree by Judge Thomas today, divorcing him from Ella Meyers. They were married at Carter City, Ky., Nov. 27, 1917, and Meyers alleged that the defendant was too friend y with other men, particularly John L. Jordan and he declared she refused to live with him. The case was heard several days ago. Attorney Luther Thompson for Meyers.

Mrs. Bush Given Divorce

Mina Bush, Jackson street woman, was given a divorce from Ralph Bush by Judge Thomas, according to an entry filed today in the office of the Clerk of Courts. The case was heard last Saturday and the decree was granted on the ground of cruelty. They were married at Mt. Sterling, Ky., Jan. 13, 1917, and she charged Bush wholly failed to provide for her and abandoned her after 5 months. She also charged him with cruelty and infidelity. Attorneys Blair & Blair for the plaintiff.

Widow Gets Estate

Under the will of John Valentine Heisel, late of this city, who died Oct. 16, his entire estate, valued at $12,175, is left to his widow, Emma W. Heisel, 1525 Franklin avenue, who is named executrix. The will has been admitted to probate.

Son Is Executor

George Fritz, a son, has been named as executor of the estate of Jacob Fritz, late of this city, who died Nov. 5 last, leaving property with an estimated value of $16,000 to his widow, Eliza Fritz, and their 6 children. The estate is disposed of under a will which was admitted to probate today.

Case Continued

The case of Mrs Rosa Poole, who was arrested at Cincinnati and returned here on a charge of abandoning her children, was partially heard by Judge Gilliland in probate court today and then continued for further evidence. The defendant in the meantime is out on bond. The complaint was fi'ed by Scott Poole, husband of the defendant.

Diamonds

Quietly

¶ Without making any great fuss about it, we have gradually brought together a collection of fine diamonds. Not every large city jewelry store can exhibit so perfect a stock of fine jewels—few stores do maintain so high a standard—for we have not allowed one off color diamond in our collection.

¶ These diamonds are offered at prices ranging from $25.00 upwards. Their value is unquestionable. They are the selects from million dollar assortments. Never will you purchase fine diamonds at a lower price.

¶ If you wish to buy a fine diamond at any figure from $25.00 to $1,200 make your selection at once.

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Jeweler 3rd and Chilli.

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Nature's Remedy NR-TABLETS-NR Better Than Pills For Liver Ills. Get a 25c Box

STEWART'S DRUG STORE, Portsmouth, Ohio.

FIREMAN HURT ANSWERING CALL

James F. Riggs, of the East End fire company, suffered serious injuries this morning, about five o'clock, when he attempted to get on the rear end of the fire truck and fell, striking his head against one of the big front doors, which had not been swung clear back. Riggs, who lives at 1608 Eighth street, attempted to jump on the rear step of the truck as it was leaving the station, and he missed his footing and fell headlong, his head hitting the edge of the door. A gash over an inch long was cut in his head over his left ear. His arm and shoulder were also injured, an X-Ray taken to see if his shoulder was broken, showing a muscle torn out of place. His arm was badly bruised. Dr. W. E. Gault attended Riggs.

Mail Truck Service

Mail truck service has been put on between the local post office and all the railway stations. Those in charge of the truck are Charles H. Laypohl and Thomas C. Graybill, mechanics, and John M. Crain, chauffeur.

Pepto-Mangan for Pale School Children

Pepto-Mangan Gives the Help the Body Needs to Make Rich Red Blood

Name "Gude's" on Every Package

Sold by Druggists in Both Liquid and Tablet Form—Medicinal Virtues are the Same

The lessons are hard and the children are growing. Watch their health and if they become pale and listless and don't want to work or play, consult a good physician at once if you suspect any serious ailment. The splendid tonic, Pepto-Mangan, if given daily for a few weeks, will in most cases restore the strength and start the young folks on the road to good health again. Youth responds quickly. You can buy Pepto-Mangan in tablet or liquid form of your druggist and can always be sure of the genuine by looking for the name "Gude's" on the package. Without the name "Gude's" it is not Pepto-Mangan. It is a fine tonic and blood-maker for the whole family. Physicians everywhere have used it for nearly thirty years.

HOT TEA BREAKS A COLD—TRY THIS

Get a small package of Hamburg Breast Tea at any pharmacy. Take a tablespoonful of this hamburg tea, put a cup of boiling water upon it, pour through a sieve and drink a teacupful at any time. It is the most effective way to break a cold and cure grip, as it opens the pores, relieving congestion. Also loosens the bowels, thus breaking a cold at once.

It is inexpensive and entirely vegetable, therefore harmless.

Attend Funeral

At the weekly meeting of the Painters', Paperhangers and Decorators' Union last night, arrangements were made to attend the funeral of James R. Smith, a member of the local who died Monday night. The members of the Union attended the funeral in a body at 3:30 this afternoon, six members acting as pallbearers.

Progressing Rapidly

Work on the two new homes W. W. Bauer is building on Second street near Gay is progressing rapidly and they will soon be ready for occupancy.

Comfort Your Skin With Cuticura Soap and Fragrant Talcum

Soap, Ointment, Talcum, 25c. everywhere. Samples free of Cuticura Laboratories, Dept. X, Malden, Mass.

Visited Wellston

Ewarl Gillen of this city has returned from a business trip to Wellston.

At Steel Plant

Walter Evans of Front street has taken a job in the Whitaker-Glessner plant.

To Prevent Influenza

Colds cause Grip and Influenza—LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE Tablets remove the cause. There is only one "Bromo Quinine." E. W. GROVE'S signature on box. 30c.

Fined $10

Richard Morton, was fined $10 and costs by Mayor Kaps in police court this morning following his conviction on a charge of assault. The complaint was filed by the defendant's wife. La Verne Morton from whom he has been separated for 3 years and she alleged that Morton struck her last Saturday night when she refused to accompany him in an automobile.

Colds Check Growth

Boys and girls cannot stay strong if they are allowed to suffer from this aggravating malady. There is a way to stop it—a way to overcome it.

It has been proved by thirty-five years of success, and is without a single harmful experience. Keep a bott e of Duffee's Cough Syrup in the house this winter. At the first symptom of a cold, or upon undue exposure give the youngsters the relief they need. Keep them free from coughs and colds, croup and bronchitis. They will grow faster, be brighter, suffer less in years to come.

This old reliable remedy has an unfailing record. Thousands of people who have used it for a generation say they can't keep house without it. You will say so. too, when you have tried it. At druggists and grocers—25c and 50c a bott'e.

Relative Is Killed

ST. LOUIS, Dec. 3.—Bogy Roberts, driving down to his office, was thrown from his automobile and instantly killed when he ran into the rear of a truck. His companion was also thrown out and suffered serious injuries. Roberts lately returned from France, where he served with Missouri's famous fighting regiment and escaped unhurt. He was regarded as one of the city's most promising young men.

Roberts was a relative of Postmaster Vallee Harold.

Bone Broken By Bullet

Walter Lewis, young white man who was shot Saturday by a negro while working near Franklin Furnace is getting along nicely at Hempstead hospital. The bul et passed through Lewis' right arm just below the elbow An X-ray taken of the arm shows a small bone in the arm shattered by the bullet. Lewis was employed by the Virginia Supply Company as commissary clerk.

Flue Was Defective

A fire alarm at 12:50 this afternoon called the East End fire company to the frame bungalow of Morgan Justice in Thomas addition at the head of Sixth street. The fire caused by a defective flue caused slight damage.

Hazelbeck will insure you.

Gun Victim Better.

Alva Matthews of McCall, Ky., who was seriously wounded several weeks ago when he attempted to arrest Chas. Brown of McCall, is getting along nicely at Hempstead hospital.

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The Ideal Xmas Present

Call and see our full line of musical merchandise.

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Sold by Wurster Bros Pharmacy, Fisher & Streich Pharmacy, Flood and Blake and all druggists.

Become Slender

Reduce your weight 10 to 60 lbs. or more under $100 GUARANTEE by using OIL OF KOREIN following easy directions. Sold by Fisher & Streich; Wurster Bros; Flood & Blake; and others in Portsmouth. ALL busy druggists everywhere sell OIL OF KOREIN. Booklet mailed free by Korein Co., NY-291, Station F, New York.

SOCIETY

The meeting of the Martha Washington Club, which was to have been held Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. R. C. Spangler, on Seventh street, has been postponed, to meet at the same place on Thursday, December 11.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Banfield of Robinson avenue entertained at dinner last evening Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Riggs of Murray City, Ind., Mrs. Flora Banfield, Miss Dorothy Yuenger and Clyde Banfield.

Miss Winifred Hosey of Eighth street, had as guests recently Miss Jewel Asbury and Miss Esther Ripley of Huntington, W. Va.

The Second Presbyterian church choir will meet for practice this evening after prayer meeting at the church.

The Misses Mollie and Dora Seaton have returned to their home in Greenup after a visit to relatives in Greenup.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Rayborn and daughters, Mrs. L. Dale Wilson and Miss Esther Rayborn, of Maysville, who attended the funeral of little Leonard Rayborn, Franklin avenue, have returned to their homes.

Mrs. A. W. Smith of Ironton is visiting Portsmouth friends.

Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Breining and daughter Katherine Ann have returned to their home in Waverly after a visit to Mr. and Mrs. Robert E. Lewis Fourth and Gay streets.

Mr. and Mrs. William N. Gableman, who have been visiting relatives in Waverly, are now the guests of Mr. and Mrs. George L. Gableman of Columbus.

Marriage Licenses.

Charles Miller, 25, farmer Greenup county, Ky., and Anna Thompson, 21, housekeeper, city. Squire Finney.

Howard H. Brookover, 21, soldier, Camp Sherman, and Matilda McCormick, 21, shoeworker, city. Squire Finney.

In Columbus.

Attorney Henry T. Bannon is in Columbus, where he will try a case in the United States Court. He will not return until Saturday.

Return Home.

Squire J. N. Kates, Rocky Newman, F. P. Wallace, J. M. Wikoff, Vern McBride and other Rarden men, who have been in the city since Monday in attendance at the Maddy murder trial in Common Pleas court, returned home today.

SOUTH WEBSTER

Misses Mildred and Marcella Addis of Firebrick, O., were the Sunday guests of their aunt Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Knost and family.

John Crabtree, of Oak Hill, O., was the Sunday guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Crabtree and family.

Mrs. Anna Havener was shopping in Portsmouth Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry M. Kuhner and family were the guests of Portsmouth relatives Wednesday.

Mrs. Charles Simms and son, of New Boston were the guests of her mother, Mrs. M. Lamber, also Mr. S. Holly and Mrs. N. Holly.

Miss Sylva Odell of Bloom Switch, was the guest of Misses Marcella Kaltenbach and Dora Stroth Sunday.

John Potts and sister Gladys, were visitors in Lucasville recently.

Mrs. Lena Russ, of Sciotoville, was the guest of Mrs. David Washburn recently.

Searl Dunn of Portsmouth was the guest of Dr. and Mrs. A. G. Stevens and family last week.

Miss Bessie Triggs of Scioto Furnace was the guest of her brother, Mr. and Mrs. Hez Triggs and family.

MINFORD

The kitchen shower which was to have been at the residence of Ed Erwin on Brushy Fork, Saturday night was postponed until a later date on account of the rain.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Allen of this place have returned home after several days visit among relatives at Salem and Glades.

Rabbit hunters were very plentiful in this vicinity Thanksgiving, hundreds of cottontails being killed.

The heavy rains caused high waters in all the streams around here last week doing much damage to corn and fodder.

There will be a pie social at White School house Friday night, Dec. 5.

Sam and George Ballard of Brushy Fork are moving to their new home near Cove O.

Policeman Joe Bonzo of Portsmouth was trying his hand with a shotgun in this neighborhood Thursday.

The funeral of Clarence Shoemaker took place at White Gravel church Friday. Many relatives and friends attended.

Guy Carter of Springfield is visiting old friends at Salem this week.

Jesse Bonzo of Akron, who has been the guest of his parents at [illegible] during the past week has returned home.

Enter the Stenographic Field nowadays, and we wish to include both in our invitation to visit the PORTSMOUTH COLLEGE OF BUSINESS and learn the scope of our activities.

In every department you'll find neatness, accuracy, speed and expert work—which creates a demand for our graduates' services

PORTSMOUTH COLLEGE OF BUSINESS

The Security Bank Announces the Opening of its Christmas Savings Club for the Year 1920 You are Invited to Join

Buy Your Tickets Now For Elks Charity Ball

Charity Ball.

The day for this memorable event, Friday December 5 is almost here. It has been anticipated with real pleasure by hundreds of people in the city as there is no question but what the dance will be a remarkable success.

Simultaneously dances will be held in the Elks Hall, Baesman's Academy and the Ben Hur Hall. The best music has been engaged for these dances and no doubt more people will be dancing Friday night than any other single night in the city's history.

The incentive is that every penny of the proceeds will be used to put real Xmas sunshine in worthy home on the glorious Christmas day. Well filled baskets are to be distributed among the poor families of the city and they will be filled with the proceeds of the Charity Ball. So the more tickets you buy the more baskets will be filled.

Brimfield's Musical Five will furnish the music in the Elks Hall, Amzy Asbell's orchestra will be stationed in Baesman's Academy and Anderson's orchestra will play in Ben Hur Hall.

All kinds of refreshments will be served in these halls and the general committee has perfected plans that will provide for the entertainment of each guest.

There will also be added attractions that will go to make the dance one long to be remembered. One of these features will be the appearance of the River City band in each hall Friday night. It will play two selections in each hall, starting in Baesman's Academy at 9 o'clock and then moving on to the Elks Club and the Ben Hur Hall. Vaudeville stunts will also be performed by teams from the Sun theatre.

If Dixie sold it, it's good. tf

The Reflections of a Married Woman

Are not pleasant if she is delicate, run-down or over-worked. She feels "played out." Her smile and good spirits have taken flight. It worries her husband as well as herself.

This is the time to build up her strength and cure those weaknesses or ailments which are the seat of her trouble.

Doctor Pierce's Favorite Prescription regulates and promotes all the proper functions of womanhood, enriches the blood, dispels aches and pains, melancholy and nervousness, brings refreshing sleep, and restores health and strength. It relieves and cures those disorders and derangements of womanhood. It makes weak women strong and sick women well.

Favorite Prescription should have the full confidence of every woman in America because it contains no alcohol and no narcotic. Dr. Pierce knew when he first made this standard medicine that whiskey and morphine were injurious and so he has always kept them out of his remedies. Send 10c to Dr Pierce's Invalids Hotel Buffalo N Y for trial package of tablets. The system is something like a clock—it needs oil occasionally. Everyone should take castor oil or something better like Doctor Pierce's Pleasant Pellets made of May-apple aloe sugar-coated. They regulate, cleanse and oil the human "clock work." Send Dr. Pierce 10 cents for trial package.

The "Santa Claus" Bank

is an appropriate name for the First National Bank of Portsmouth, for over six thousand Christmas Club savers have been depositing weekly so they would have money for Christmas giving and other worthy purposes.

The 1919 Christmas Money Club closed Saturday, November 29th, and the staff of the Bank are busy balancing the Christmas accounts and making out the checks which will be mailed soon.

The exact amount of money accumulated by the Christmas Club members is not yet available but it will exceed the one hundred sixty thousand dollar mark.

When the checks are mailed an announcement will be made. Watch for it. ads. 11

UNCLE JOE STOKLEY IS 72

"Uncle Joe" Stokley, who retired a few months ago from the police force after serving as a guardian of the peace in this city for more than 35 years, celebrated his 72nd birthday anniversary yesterday. Despite his advanced age, "Uncle Joe," as he is familiarly called by everybody, is still spry as a cricket and was about town during the day receiving the congratulations of his many friends.

Buys Scripps Booth

J. H. Spriggs, 1014 Seventh street, has purchased a new Scripps-Booth touring car from the Superior Motor company. The car was delivered today.

WHAT SHALL I GIVE?

GLOVES AS XMAS PRESENTS

What is there that a woman appreciates more than a pair of pretty serviceable gloves. In this day of giving of useful presents, gloves answer the perplexing question of "What shall I give?"

Whether it be a silk chamoisette or beautiful French kid gloves you will find a large selection here.

Silk Gloves $1.00 to $1.65 Chamoisette Gloves 75c to $1.50
Kid Gloves $2.00 to $3.50

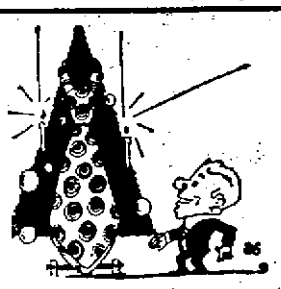
STATIONERY

that is delightfully attractive, with an appeal to the woman who is particular about the nice little conventions of society, is shown in the newest shapes, sizes and tints.

It is a gift that appeals to the young and old. It is a constant reminder of your friendship each time it is used, and it trains the youth in the art of letter writing.

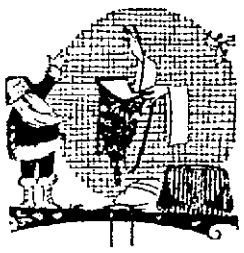
NECKWEAR FOR MEN

The kind they select for themselves. Patterns that appeal to the masculine taste. Prices much less than what are asked elsewhere.
Prices ..... 65c to $1.50



HANDKERCHIEFS FOR MEN

They are both in silk and cotton printed in a variety of colors. A more useful and appreciated gift could not be found.



LADIES' PURSES AND BAGS

that will satisfy the woman who demands style and service.

Leather purses made of the best quality Morocco, Pin Seal and Persian Goat.

Bags of paon velvet that will satisfy the most discriminating taste.

Beaded bags that are real works of art.

HANDKERCHIEFS FOR WOMEN

A large selection of hand embroidered linen handkerchiefs that are so scarce this season. They are priced 35c and up.

Ladies' crepe handkerchiefs in a multitude of patterns, a more dainty gift could not be found. They are 29c each.

RIBBONS

No better place to select a Christmas remembrance can be found than our Ribbon Department. Here are dainty novelties fashioned from ribbon, articles that will delight any woman's heart.

Besides here you will find the most gorgeous ribbons for making bags and our saleslady will be glad to give any instruction or suggestions that you may desire.

SHOP EARLY

Marting's PORTSMOUTH OHIO

Toy Department Down Stairs

19 TRACHOMA CASES TREATED IN DAY

With nineteen trachoma cases treated at the Wednesday free clinic held at the Gay street dispensary, patients from the city and county continue to come in for treatment today which is the last day of the present clinic.

Dr. R. W. Raynor, Surgeon in charge of the United States Public Health Service in Pikeville, Ky., is in charge of the clinic with him are Dr. Robert Lockhart, in charge of trachoma clinic work in the state of Ohio, and Dr. Ross Hopkins of the State Public Health Service. Miss Zoe McCalab, State Public Health nurse concludes the personel of the clinic.

Some excellent work was done at the clinic Wednesday in treatments administered to both city and county patients. One treatment effects a cure.

The clinic is conducted here under the auspices of the Bureau of Community Service.

If Dixie sold it, it's good. tf

Says He Fired At Random; Bullet Kills Grayson Man

Grayson, Ky., December 2.—Tom Broomfield, 28 years old, of Grahn, ten miles west of here today fired a rifle at random. The bullet struck Lewis Brown, 32 years old in the back of the head, killing him instantly. Brown was 200 yards away. Broomfield says he did not see Brown. Brown leaves a widow and four children. Broomfield was lodged in jail here and will have an examining trial Saturday.

Break Training Table

The training table of the P. H. S. athletics has been discontinued for about a week, pending the training of the basketball squad.

The table was first inaugurated last season by Coach Robert C. Hess and has been an unqualified success.

Miss Mary Stokley serves the athletes with the noon luncheon each day.

FIREMAN INJURED

James Rices, pipeman of the Gallia street fire company, was severely injured this morning when he was knocked from the fire truck by a door failing to entirely open as the truck was leaving the fire station in response to an alarm. He was thrown violently to the floor of the engine house and besides sustaining a bad scalp wound, his shoulder was severely bruised.

Dr. W. E. Gault was called to attend the injured fireman, while the company continued to the fire, which was in a house at the rear of 1215 Elm street occupied by Cornelius Pennington and family. The blaze started from a swinging gas jet and the fire was extinguished with a trifling loss.

The alarm was turned in from Twelfth and Findlay streets shortly before 5 o'clock this morning.

Hatfield will insure you.

IF YOUR EARS RING WITH HEAD NOISES

If you have roaring buzzing noises in your ears, are getting hard of hearing and fear Catarrhal Deafness go to your druggist and get 1 ounce of Parmint (double strength) and add to it ½ pint of hot water and a little granulated sugar. Take 1 tablespoonful four times a day.

This will often bring quick relief from the distressing head noises. Clogged nostrils should open, breathing become easy and the mucous stop dropping into the throat. It is easy to prepare, costs little and is pleasant to take. Anyone who has Catarrhal trouble of the ears is tired of medicine or has head noises should give this prescription a trial.

SOUND HEALTH

to many thousands is practically a matter of the right use of reliable means of maintaining vitality.

SCOTT'S EMULSION

time-honored and reliable, combines palatability, inherent virtues and unrivaled efficacy. At the first sign of weakness take Scott's Emulsion.

It is known everywhere by the "Mark of Efficacy"—the Fisherman

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The Touch Supreme To Feminine Costume

Latusca Pearl Necklace

Give Her A String of Pearl Beads

A gift that will thrill any young lady who loves beautiful stylish jewelry.

The Famous La Tusca Pearls

can be bought at our store and when you select a La Tusca pearl you know you are buying a pearl of real quality and reputation. We show these beads at $8, $10, $15, $20 up to $50 each. All lengths and sizes of beads.

Selecting a gift early always means satisfaction to you without the last day of worry. La Tusca is the nationally advertised and guaranteed pearl beads.

OTTO ZOELLNER & BRO.

415 Chillicothe Street

SCOUTS PLANNING FOR BANQUET

After the regular meeting of Troop One Boy Scouts of the city, last evening the four patrols organized two basket ball teams and two lively games were played on the church floor.

The Tigers defeated the Silver Fox five 18 to 10 in a spirited contest.

The Ravens bowed to the Beavers, the score being 18 to 8, with the Beavers.

A banquet is being planned by the Scouts, a committee having been appointed to arrange for the affair.

At the meeting Assistant Scout Commission Clagget made a speech on the Red Cross Seals, urging the boys to get behind the movement.

BASKETBALL CANDIDATES TO GET BUSY

Tomorrow will see the first practice of the P. H. S. basketball candidates.

About 25 boys have signified their intention of trying out for a berth on the squad and Coach Hess has called his basket tossers together for a short practice tomorrow. The prospects for a good team this season are very bright, all of the old stars having signed up as candidates for the five.

Auto Trucks Collide.

Auto trucks owned by A. Brunner & Sons and J. J. Brushart collided at Gallia and Gay streets this afternoon. The Brushart machine was damaged considerably.

Rebekahs Elect

Officers for the ensuing year were elected at last night's meeting of the Daughters of Rebekah. The new officers are: Noble Grand, Josie Dixon; Vice-Grand, Rosalie White; Recording Secretary, Mary E. Boyles; Financial Secretary, Anna West; Trustee, Mrs. Stevens; Organist, Rosalie Hooper; Teammaster, Ora Beekman; Deputy, Anna Brunner.

After the business session and election, the candidates for office served a supper, oyster soup having a place on the menu. Officers will be installed at the first meeting in January. Every member is urged to be present next Tuesday night as a picture of the lodge will be taken at this time.

To Name Officials

Candidates for the office of Business Manager and Assistant managers of P. H. S. basketball team are filing their applications with the Board of Control of the Athletic Association.

The Board of Control will select the manager and assistants in a day or so; the manager to be selected from the Senior class while the 4 assistants will come from Junior and Sophomore classes.

DINNER FROCK OF DAZZLING BEAUTY

Here is a striking dinner frock which follows the American lines but has the short skirt of Paris design. It is made of a burnt orange chiffon trimmed with bands of heavy gold lace. A soft draped girdle of cloth of gold has a cluster of deep blue and purple morning glories at the

Candidates To Report

A meeting at the High School of all candidates for the girls basketball five which will represent P. H. S. on foreign floors as well as at home, was called for this afternoon.

About 20 candidates are expected to compete for the positions.

Ready to Carry On

A tankful of Red Crown Gasoline makes the car fairly radiate power. It's because Red Crown is clean, gingery gas whose only function is to propel—to make most mileage. Does it without leaving carbon to cripple engine action and hasten repairs. Costs no more but *does more*. Uniform everywhere you get it.

Polarine lubricates as well as Red Crown propels—keeps gas from slipping past piston rings and cylinder walls—delivers it all to rear wheels as driving power. Practically non-carbonizing.

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POLARINE

GERMANY REFUSES TO SIGN

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When the German plenipotentiary was shown the statement given out this morning that on Monday, he had informed Paul Dutasta, secretary of the peace conference, that Germany had decided not sign the protocol. Baron Von Lersner said:

"I have full powers to sign the protocol and am ready to sign it at any moment when the question of Scapa Flow is eliminated and referred to The Hague, and when there also is eliminated the paragraph relating to the evacuation of Lithuania, which we consider already settled and finally—and the paragraph which would permit the invasion of our country by armed force in times of peace on any trivial pretext."

DISTRICT CONFERENCE AT ALL SAINTS

In connection with the Nation Wide Campaign of the Episcopal church, now being conducted in every diocese, there will be a district conference at All Saints church this evening at 6:45.

The meeting will be in the Fourth street chapel and all members of the church are urged to attend the conference, which is for the purpose of instructing "Five Minute Speakers," who will hold themselves at the disposal of the "Speakers' Bureau" during the church campaign.

The conference will be conducted by Mortimer Matthews, Esq. of Glendale, chairman of the Diocesan Committee, who will speak on "The Vision" and "How To Make a Five Minute Address." The Very Rev'd Stuart B. Purves, D. D., dean of Cincinnati, who will deal with "The Parish, The Community and The Nation," and the Rev'd Gilbert P. Symons, rector of Glendale, who will speak on "The World" and "Religious Education."

The conference will commence at 6:45 p. m., sharp, and between the addresses already referred to there will be two general conferences, the first from 7:15 to 8 and the second from 8:10 to 8:45 p. m. The meeting will be in the chapel on Fourth street.

Mr. Matthews is a brother of the Right Rev'd Paul Matthews, Bishop of New Jersey, and son of a former justice of the U. S. Supreme court, and is a prominent lawyer in Cincinnati. Dean Purves and Mr. Symons are well known here, the former having preached at All Saints for eight successive Lents.

SENATE ORDERS INVESTIGATION

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Adoption of the resolution followed an hour's discussion of radicalism, of the commission's activities against the packers, and of its statement attacking Senator Watson for his charges. No opposition to the investigation was interposed, but Senator Cummins and several other senators declared they believed there had been a move to discredit the commission.

The work done by the commission in investigating the packers was declared invaluable by Senator Harris, Democrat, Georgia, a former member of the body, who said he believed the proposed inquiry would fully demonstrate the usefulness of its work.

Senator Watson renewed his charges that certain of the commission's employes have been aiding in the dissemination of radical doctrines and said that while his primary purpose was to strike at any such condition he was not opposed to the broadening of the inquiry.

Potash in Sicily.

Rich deposits of potash have been discovered...

CITATION FOR CONTEMPT IN COAL STRIKE EXPECTED

INDIANAPOLIS, IND., Dec. 3.—Contempt of court proceedings were to be instituted against all the general officers of the United Mine Workers of America, on whom the temporary injunction issued by Judge A. B. Anderson, of the United States district court, was served, before the end of the day, according to information obtained from an authoritative source.

INDIANAPOLIS, IND, Dec. 3.—Citations for contempt of court, directed against members of the United Mine Workers of America and possibly against coal mine owners, are expected within the next 24 hours as the government's next step in its efforts to bring about an end of the strike of bituminous coal miners.

It became known yesterday that a mass of evidence against alleged violator of the strike injunction has been collected by agents of the department of justice and that proceedings will be instituted immediately. Government attorneys take the position that statements made by individual miners, which might be viewed as encouragement of the strike or agreement by any two members to refrain from work, constitute violation of the injunction.

OHIO MAY GET ARMY TRUCKS

COLUMBUS, O., Dec. 3.—Ohio can have about $20,000,000 worth of army trucks and road building machinery if she will but provide warehouse facilities for them, the legislative finance committee were told today by Edward C. Slocumb, senior highway engineer of the bureau of public roads, federal department of agriculture.

He recommended the construction of a central warehouse in Columbus at a cost of approximately $100,000, with sub-stations in other cities, probably Cincinnati and Cleveland.

Under the allotment, Ohio would receive about 1,000 trucks he said. All that is necessary for the state to receive the equipment is to furnish warehouse facilities and certify to the war department it can be used and the state will keep them in repair.

MINFORD

Large crowds attended the pie socials at Salem and Long Run Friday and Saturday nights. Wednesday night a social will be given at White's school house.

Jesse Bonzo of Akron, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joshua Bonzo of Salem.

The township trustees will soon begin work on the road near Glade church, Madison twp., grading and graveling one half mile.

Alva Allen and Jesse Bonzo were Sunday guests of their uncle John Dever, of Galford, who is recovering from the effects of a gun-shot wound received while out hunting a few days ago.

Arthur Lyons and Wilbur Allen have returned to their work in Springfield.

Lyle and Carl Bonzo of Salem were visiting relatives in Pike county Sunday.

A number of people from here are planning to attend the Scioto County Pomona Grange meeting at Lucasville Saturday, Dec 6.

James Belfir, of White Gravel, who lost a finger in the cogs of a cane mill is improving.

A pie social was given at Shriver school house, Jackson county, Friday night.

Sampson Shear, of Glades, will soon move to his farm which he recently purchased near St. John's church in Jackson county.

Farmers are busy husking corn and hauling their winter's supply of coal.

Frank Swain has moved from Pike county to the Giles farm near Brushy Fork.

Mrs. Winter of Salem has moved to her new home on Koran Ridge.

The Christian Endeavor hold regular meetings every Sunday night at Salem church.

MINE OPERATORS MEET TO DISCUSS INCREASED WAGES

WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 3.—Mine operators from all parts of the country gathered here today to work out details of the 14 percent wage increase suggested by the government for bituminous coal miners. While the sessions officially were restricted to operators located in the central competitive field representatives from the other sections were on hand to gather facts on which to base future adjustments. It was said that the findings of the central field committee probably would be submitted to Fuel Administrator Garfield for ratification, but that several days would be needed to work out problems presented.

Continued optimism in official circles was marked, although production figures available showed no increase in daily tonnage. This is now estimated semi-officially at better than 40 percent of normal. Operators representing the Alabama fields, gathered for the wage discussion said production which had been normal there had dropped to about 80 union representatives being active in attempting to call men out. Central Pennsylvania mine owners reported partial production, while West Virginia, Kentucky and Tennessee representatives were confident that the mine outputs soon would be back to normal.

In the central district, however, hardly a pound of coal is being produced except by wagon mines and a strip pit or two, operators said.

114 EGGS A DAY NOW INSTEAD OF 25 A DAY

That Means About $105 Extra Income Per Month for Mrs. Ropp.

"I have 200 hens, including late pullets not old enough to lay, and had been getting 25 to 30 eggs a day. Then I tried Don Sung in the feed, and am now getting 107 to 114 eggs a day."—Mrs. Essie B. Ropp, R. R. 2, Littles, Ind.

Mrs. Ropp got this increase of 7 dozen eggs a day in the middle of winter. At 50 cents a dozen, 30 days a month, this makes $105 extra income a month. The Don Sung for her 200 hens cost her about $2.50 per month. You can see how well it paid her, and we'll guarantee it will pay you. Here's our offer:

Give your hens Don Sung and watch results for one month. If you don't find that it pays for itself and pays you a good profit besides, tell us and your money will be promptly refunded.

Don Sung (Chinese for egg-laying) works directly on the egg-laying organs and is also a splendid tonic. It is easily given in the feed, improves the hen's health, makes her more active in any weather, and starts her laying.

Try Don Sung for 30 days and if it doesn't get you the eggs, no matter how cold or wet the weather, your money will be refunded by return mail. Get Don Sung from your druggist or poultry remedy dealer or send 50 cents for a package by mail prepaid. Burrell-Dugger Co., 281 Columbia Bldg., Indianapolis, Ind.

RIVER PACKET GOES DOWN

PADUCAH, KY., Dec. 3.—River packet C. C. Bowyer, owned by Captain Devers, Dyersburg, Tennessee, bound from that city to Paducah, hit a submerged stump and sank in Cumberland river off Vicksburg, Tennessee, this morning. The crew made shore safely. The loss is estimated at $10,000.

NAMED CENSUS SUPERVISOR

WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 3.—Nathaniel M. Elliott, of London Laurel county, was named today as supervisor of census for the eleventh district of Kentucky in place of the late James N. Meadows.

SOCIETY

Miss Helen O. Otten, secretary of The Goodman Clothing Company, Hamilton, will be in Portsmouth, Friday, coming from Columbus. Miss Otten is coming in the interest of business and will be in Portsmouth until next Monday night.

Having been here to celebrate with Mrs. Mary Fastenau, 719 Third street, her eighty-fourth birthday anniversary, Monday, December first, Mr. and Mrs. G. J. Edwards and son Albert, of Peniel, O., have returned to their home. Mrs. Edwards is a daughter of Mrs. Fastenau.

Mrs. Earl Clare of Kinney's Lane, will entertain the Emanon Club on Thursday afternoon.

Owls Nominate

Officers were nominated at last night's meeting of the Owls. The nomination resulted as follows:

President—William Bender, James Kelley.

Vice President—Fred Goltz.

Secretary and Treasurer—Will Miller.

Officers will be elected at the last meeting in this month.

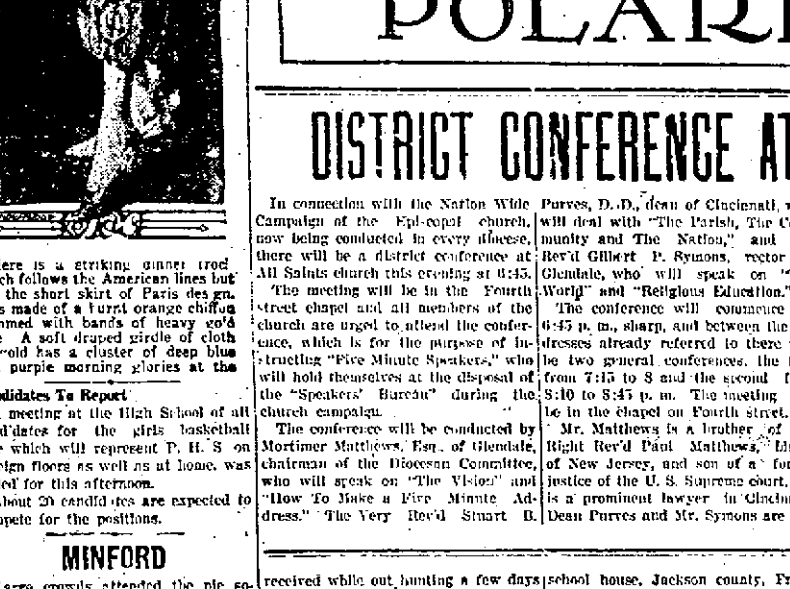
Secure License

Marriage license was issued today to Clarence L. Gillispie, 26, mechanic Wheeling, W. Va., and Gladys McCormick, 21, city.

Chicken Supper

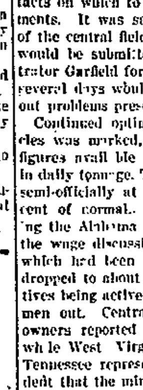
Findlay street M. E. church of which Rev. M. S. Johnson is pastor, will give a chicken supper at the church Thursday, December 4th.

BEAUTIFUL AMERICAN GIRLS ASK POPE TO BREAK BONDS



Left to right: Duchess Heinrich-Borwin von Mecklenburg Schwerin, Mrs. Dorothy McCombs and Princess Radziwill.

Three well-known women of American birth are concerned in applications for annulment of marriage now being considered by the vatican authorities. They are Mrs. Dorothy McCombs, formerly Miss Williams of Washington, who married William F. McCombs, Democratic national committeeman; the Countess Heinrich-Borwin of Mecklenburg-Schwerin, formerly Elizabeth Pratt; and the Princess Antoine Albert Radziwill, formerly Miss Dorothy Parker Deacon of Boston.



EVEN IF YOU HAD A NECK AS LONG AS THIS FELLOW AND HAD SORE THROAT ALL THE WAY DOWN TONSILINE WOULD QUICKLY RELIEVE IT.

A quick, safe, soothing, healing, antiseptic relief for Sore Throat, briefly describes TONSILINE. A small bottle of Tonsiline lasts longer than most any case of Sore Throat. TONSILINE relieves Sore Mouth and Hoarseness. 35c. and 60c. Hospital Size, $1. All Druggists. THE TONSILINE COMPANY, Canton, Ohio.

SUN LAST TIMES TODAY Grace, Ben and Wallace—3 BIG TIME ACTS 5 REELS FEATURE PICTURES A Hit

"SAXAPHONE FLIRTATIONS"

TODAY—THURSDAY—SATURDAY—FANNIE WARD IN "OUR BETTER SELVES"—A PATHE SUPER TRIUMPH

---And Now For Christmas,

With Hosts of Gift Things That Interpret The Real Meaning of Christmas

Especially the toys. Christmas wouldn't be Christmas if it were not for the children and toys. It takes such as these to create the Christmas spirit. And truly, this is the store of the Christmas spirit. The spirit of this store reflects itself in the happy faces of merry shopping throngs that troop up and down its gift aisles. Good will expresses itself in the store's willing service and completeness of the Christmas stocks that one meets on every hand. Here one easily selects the acceptable, appropriate gift to best express intimate regard or thoughtful remembrance; this is our interpretation of "Christmas Spirit."

---and now, all aboard for Toyland. No one but kindly children of ALL ages can make the trip. And into what realms of delight one enters. Here Santa Claus has gathered myriads of Toys and bustling activity pervades every corner of this realm. Handy Andries busily dumping sand, air ships swishing through the air, battles raging, engineering feats in the process of construction and musical noises everywhere. And to think that everything seen and heard is "just for fun". It's such a world of enchantment that you simply must hurry and "get aboard."

Santa Claus Is Coming Saturday Morning!

Gee, what news Old Santa will be here for a fact. Old Santa in person. Yes sir, just got a telegram today. Said he would come in his automobile and would drive right up to the store on Saturday morning at about 10:30. He said to tell all his little friends about his visit and for them to bring their letters and give them to him. So he will be here, children, red coat, long whiskers, 'n everything. Of course you wouldn't miss him for the world.

You Ought to See These Toys!

DRUMS that beat the band, 25c up.

WAGONS, dandy coasters at $7.50 and $8.50.

HAND CARS at $6.50.

VELOCIPEDES at $3.25 to $5.

BLACK BOARDS $1.50 up.

TOOL CHESTS $4.50 up.

MIRROSCOPES $4.50 to $10.

CHINA CLOSETS and set of dishes $8.45.

STEAM ENGINES $1 up.

ROLL TOP DESKS for children, $7 to $15.

FLAT TOP DESKS at $8.

TOY STOVES at $1.25 to $15. Some stoves.

DOLL HAMMOCKS $1.50 to $3.

KING'S AIR RIFLE 500 shot, $1.98.

GILBERT TOYS, the boys know what they are. Erector sets, Mystic Magic, Puzzle Sets, Wireless Sets, Soldering Sets, Machine Guns, Telephone Sets, Motors, etc.

GAMES. Gee you ought to see them. Everything from dominoes up.

TEN PINS at 75c to $1.50 set.

AUTOMOBILES including such famous makes as Olds, King, Reo, Oakland, etc. and they never have to go near a filling station, $8.50 to $25.

HOBBY HORSES that never scare at a machine at $7.50 to $10.

KIDDIE KARS, only the genuine here, no substitutes. Various sizes and priced at $1.25 to $3.

THIRD FLOOR

The Anderson Bros Co.

A musical was given last evening for the pleasure of the Woman's Literary Club and their guests in the hospitable home of Dr. and Mrs. P. J. Kline, on Fourth street. Miss Evelyn Reed made arrangements for the attractive program, including a number of vocal selections by Mr. Henry Meade, with Miss Edna Marting accompanist; piano solos by Mrs. J. M. Stockham, readings by Miss Leonore Allard and violin and piano numbers by Mr. and Mrs. Christian Hansen.

The evening was perhaps one of the most delightful passed in musical circles of late, and was received by a very appreciative audience. Mr. Meade is gifted with a pleasing voice, full and resonant and of appealing quality. His numbers were received with enthusiasm, to which he readily responded. It is especially interesting to many to know that, after his service with the Army in France, Mr. Meade volunteered his services for the entertainment of remaining soldiers, including those confined to the hospitals.

It was also a great pleasure to again greet Mrs. J. M. Stockham, after her absence of a number of years.

The following numbers were given, as announced by Miss Reed:

Violin and Piano Duet—Hungarian Raphsodie .... Hauser
Mr. and Mrs. Christian Hansen

Song—"The Gypsy Trail"—Words by Kipling. Music by Tod B. Galloway
Sung by Mr. Meade,
Miss Marting, Accompanist

Reading—"Life is a Queer Proposition After All".....Miss Leonore Allard
Mrs. Christian Hansen, Accompanist

Group of Songs:—
"At Dawning" .... Cadman
"Rose in the Bud"...Dorothy Foster
"Caroline" .... Caro Roma
Kathleen Mavourneen"
Mr. Meade

Piano Solo—"Les Willis"..Chaminade
Mrs. J. M. Stockham

Reading—"Some Little Bug Will Get You Some Day" ....
Miss Leonore Allard

Song—"Invictus" ....Bruno Huhn
Mr. Meade

Encore....."My Old Kentucky Home"

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Gus Brunner of Fifth street was the scene of a merry children's party Saturday afternoon, given in honor of their son James' eighth birthday. The afternoon was spent in games and music, after which dainty refreshments were served to the following: Kathleen Conroy, Ruth Kress, Maxine Moeller, Katherine Brunner, Sara Margaret Brunner, Ruth Bassler, Katherine and Helen Herman, Harry Schirrmann, Betty Jane Miller, Billy Werts, Billy Burke, Irving Bassler, Henry Maier, Henry Jacobs, Rodger Jacobs, Paul Peed, Leon Frowine, Harold Brunner, Freddie Brunner, Hiram Schneller, James Brunner and Mr. George Brown. A large cake with eight candles adorned the table. The souvenirs were white dunce-caps.

The little folks left at a late hour, wishing him many more happy birthdays. Mrs. Brunner was assisted in serving the little folks by Mrs. Frowine, Mrs. Morrison and Mrs. Moeller.

Clarence Poston has returned to Columbus, having spent Thanksgiving and the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Poston, of Findlay street, and his sister, Mrs. Sinnett Hudlin of Offnere street.

Mr. and Mrs. James F. Cooper of South Portsmouth, Ky., have returned from a two weeks' visit in Winston-Salem, N. C., where they visited Mr. Lindsey T. Cooper.

Mrs. Isaac Hall, Franklin avenue, has returned from a four weeks' visit with Mrs. J. F. Hall, Dayton.

Mrs. Flora Laley of Boston, Mass., (Miss Flora Shafer) of this city, who has been visiting here with her sister, Mrs. Frank Schlichter, Franklin avenue, left for Cincinnati for a two weeks' visit with her two brothers, Harry and Floyd Shafer. Mrs. Laley will make this visit enroute home.

Miss Helen Ort, Vanceburg, was here Monday, the guest of Miss Katherine Powers, 1218 North avenue.

The Central W. C. T. U. will meet Thursday evening, at 7:30, at the home of Mrs. W. L. Creasy, 1137 Third street. During the social hour following the business, the members will participate in a passing party.

Lieut. Robert J. Horr of Ft. Sill, Oklahoma, arrived home today for a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Horr of Second street. Enroute home, Lieut. Horr attended the Army-Navy game.

The West Portsmouth W. C. T. U. will meet Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. John Dennison, 534 Seventh street. Everyone welcome.

The Woman's Foreign Missionary Society of all the M. E. churches in the Portsmouth District will hold an all-day group meeting at Sciotoville on Friday, December 5, when those who attend are requested to bring their lunches and coffee will be served by the Sciotoville ladies. The cars leave New Boston for Sciotoville on the hour and the half-hour.

Mrs. Harry Johnson of Baird avenue is visiting her brother, James Price, of Hyde Park, Cincinnati.

Miss Myrtle Poston has returned to her home in Norwood, after a visit with her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Poston, of 1406 Findlay street.

Miss Alma Greene of 2203 Robinson avenue, has arrived home from a visit in Cincinnati.

HAD PLENTY TO EAT, BUT NO APPETITE

"It may sound unreasonable, and you may believe it or not, but after taking four bottles of Tanlac I have actually gained twenty-five pounds," said J. D. Williams, a well known and prosperous farmer, who lives at Greenbrier, Tenn., near Nashville.

"I had a bad case of stomach trouble last summer and it came pretty near knocking me out," he continued. "It was something like nervous indigestion. I began to go down hill and it looked like the more medicine I took and the harder I tried to get well the worse I would get. We had pretty near everything to eat, but nothing tasted right, and I got so weak and nervous I couldn't do anything; in fact, I was just completely knocked out.

"Before I had this spell I weighed 160 pounds and kept falling off until I got down to where I weighed 135 pounds.

"I am now back to my regular weight again and feel strong and well. My appetite is simply fine now and I don't mind my work. This medicine just took right hold of me and put me on my feet.

"Well, sir, the second day after I began taking it I got hungry and oh, how good that old ham did taste. I sleep fine now, too, and am not nervous like I was. Even the barking of the dogs at night does not wake me up.

"I never believed that a medicine could be made that would do anybody as much good as Tanlac has done me, and I want to recommend it to everybody suffering with the same troubles I had."

Tanlac is sold in Portsmouth by Fisher and Streich pharmacy and the leading druggist in every town.

A box supper will be given at the Lombardville school house on Saturday evening, December 6, for the benefit of the school. Everyone will be cordially welcomed.

Mrs. G. W. Whiteside, Sciotoville, will visit with her sister, Mrs. G. W. Morris, North avenue, Thursday.

Mrs. R. G. Morris, 1651 North avenue, will leave this week for a ten days' visit with friends in Cincinnati.

Miss Mabel Shope, Henley, is the guest of Mrs. Elmer Wallace, Offnere street.

Walter Welter of Van Wert is the guest of his sister, Mrs. Howard Sellards of Offnere street. He will remain here a week.

Mr. and Mrs. James Duncan, of Columbus are visiting Portsmouth relatives and friends.

The Social and Service Guild of All Saints church will meet Thursday evening at the home of Mrs. Emil Doerr, of 1651 Grant street.

The Bethany Class of Franklin M. E. church will meet Friday evening at the home of Mrs. W. O. Scott, 1621 Franklin avenue. Officers of the class will assist the hostess.

Mr. and Mrs. William H. Harris have returned from a few days' visit in Cincinnati.

The Art Circle will meet Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. F. C. Goodwin, on Fourth street, and the members are asked to bring needle and thimble to work on Christmas sewing.

Mrs. Williard Hosey of Sixth street, who has been ill for the past month, is slowly improving.

MISS DOLLY WISE

She is here to answer any and all questions concerning love, matrimony, troubles, woes, etiquette, etc. Inquiries should be addressed to Miss Dolly Wise, care The Daily Times, Portsmouth, Ohio.

Dear Dolly:

Will you please tell me what would be nice to send to a girl friend for a Christmas present? Would a ring be all right?
ETHEL

Why I don't think a ring would be just the right thing. Better buy her something for her room, like a lovely lamp shade, or get her candle sticks with attractive Batick shades. Anything hand made like an embroidered night gown or camisole would be appreciated.

Dear Miss Wise:

I am writing for advice. I will graduate from school in the middle of this term. I would like to be a central girl. Can a girl with a common school education [illegible] telephone exchange girl? Also, could I telephone to get information about this? Is 16 years to young for that work?
BROWN EYES

You can probably get a position if there is a vacancy but you will have to go and have a personal talk with the managers. There is not much money in this work as office work if you can afford to get a business education. It would pay.

"H. H. Land B. B. K." Your letters are silly. If you were really wanting information it would be different but I am not conducting the column for the purpose of guessing whether people answering to description by themselves are good looking.

Dear Miss Wise:

Just settle an argument—what date did the Opera House at Fourth and Chillicothe streets burn down?
MIS INFORMATION

September 3, 1911

Dear Dolly:

Will you please tell us if it is proper to wear evening gowns to the Elks' Charity Ball. We understand it is to be an informal affair. Thanks

It is an informal affair, consequently the men will not be in evening dress and it will not be obligatory that women dress in evening clothes. However, you can suit yourself about it as a matter of personal taste.

Dear Dolly:

There is a young lady who passes my home. Sometimes when I look out at her she smiles at me. I like her very much. Will you please tell me how I can get acquainted with her? Also please tell me at what city in Kentucky is the British Convict ship anchored for the winter.
N. B. YOUNG MAN

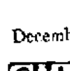
If you are game to take the risk—for she may not be as sweet as her smile—find out a mutual friend and get an introduction that way.

I don't know the exact location of the convict ship but suppose that it is quite a distance south to avoid any ice in the river this winter that might injure the hulk. I may be able to find out where it is later and will publish if I do.

Dear Dolly:

I am in love with a young man. I love him dearly and he says he loves me. He comes to see me quite often. His home is out of the city. But Dolly he goes with other girls but he tells me about it. Still he doesn't want me to talk to any one at all. I think if he loves me as he says he does he wouldn't talk to other girls. He told me the last time he came to see me he wouldn't ever speak to girls but I have become disgusted with him. We are engaged to be married. What would be best to do? Do you think my life would be a happy one [illegible]. Please advise me for the best, Dolly, for I am in trouble. He says if I go with any one else he will join the army.
A WORRIED LOVER

Let him go join the army. You would be much happier without him and he without you as both of you are too young to know what real love is, for real love is perfect faith. Break your engagement. With the start you have made you would no doubt make a mess of married life.



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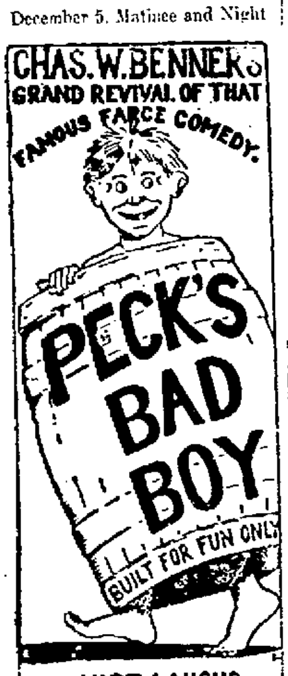
December 5. Matinee and Night



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Matinee 3:30
Evening 25c, 50c, 75c, $1.00
Seats on Sale Thursday

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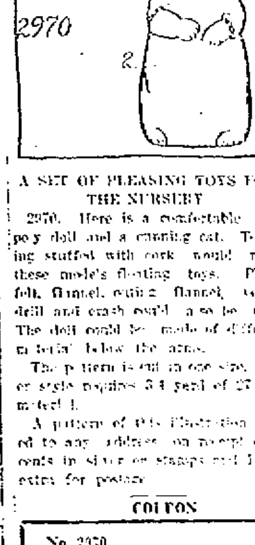

A SET OF PLEASING TOYS FOR THE NURSERY

2970. Here is a comfortable roly poly doll and a cunning cat. Toweling stuffed with cork would make these model's floating toys. Plush, felt, flannel, outing flannel, velvet, drill and crash would also be good. The doll could be made of different material below the arms.

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The Anderson Bros Co.

Ethel Clayton's Beautiful Complexion

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SOCIETY

An interesting program, including a paper, "Religious Customs," by Miss Isabel Munson, a reading, "The Mason Bee," by Miss Louise Bothwell, and Current Events by Miss Gertrude Pillott, was enjoyed by the Clio members at their meeting last night at the home of Mrs. Charles Donaldson on Sixth and Offnere streets. Plans were made for the Christmas party to be held December 16, at the home of Miss Violet Cunningham, after which the hostess served delectable refreshments.

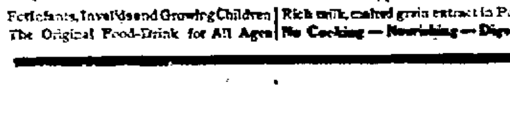
Miss Ruth Thompson of Highland avenue will entertain the Scioto Bridge Club Thursday afternoon.

The baby daughter born to Dr. and Mrs. L. N. Allard, 1501 Oakland avenue, November 28, has been named Alice Jane. The proud father, Dr. L. N. Allard, has his office in the Kricker Building.

Dr. H. A. Maffey went to Columbus today to attend the Ohio State Dental meeting and to see Fred Helder in "Listen Lester," at the Hartman Theater.

Meet me at Nye's Fountain. 12-t

Safe Milk for INFANTS and INVALIDS



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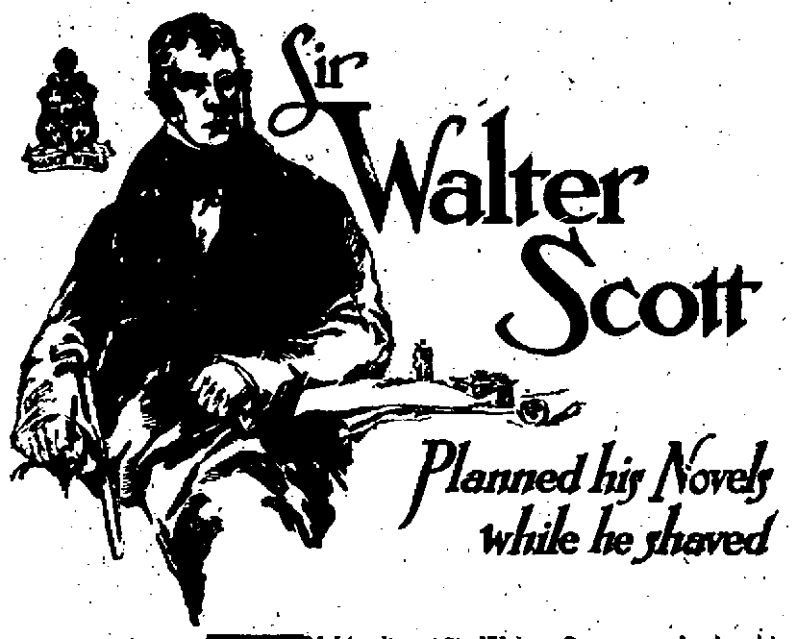

IN his diary, Sir Walter Scott reveals that his best thoughts came to him during the shaving hour, just after he awoke. Even in his greatest prosperity, the famous author of "Marmion" always performed this homely task himself, considering it a "hardy and independent personal habit."

And this lovable, simple country gentleman used a razor which justly rewarded his skill—that old time model whose perfect balance makes it seem part of your own hand—a long, keen blade that can lie on your cheek at only *one*—the *right*—shaving angle. All that Scott's fine old razor needed to make it a perfect shaving tool was the double-edged, guarded detachable blade of the

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Lay this real-razor-made-safe against your cheek. It feels as comforting and shears as smoothly as the old-time blade—only—*it won't cut your face.* And because it has *two edges*, it naturally *doubles* your blade mileage. In addition it has the longest, strongest, keenest, *best-tempered* blades on earth—a blade that you can instantly detach and strop or hone and so save money. These vital improvements on what hitherto has been the best of all razors have led seven million men to change to the Durham-Duplex, a real razor made safe. Why not have these *extra conveniences* for yourself—*today?*

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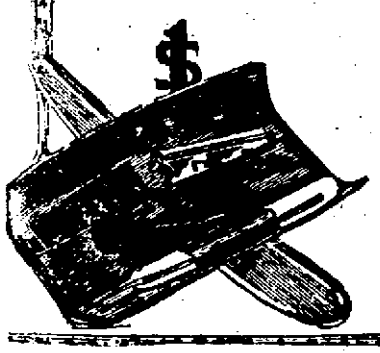
If you are a Durham-Duplex dealer and wish to have your name added to the above list in subsequent advertisements, send your name and address to this newspaper and write the Durham-Duplex Co., for a free window display



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This set contains a Durham-Duplex Razor with an attractive white handle, safety guard, stropping attachment and package of 3 Durham-Duplex double edged blades (6 shaving edges) all in a handsome leather kit. Get it from your dealer or from us direct.

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17 ABOVE THIS A. M.

It was 17 above zero this morning.

This is the official reading of Weather Observer Dr. H. A. Schirmann. The mercury began dropping yesterday afternoon, and at five o'clock this morning the minimum reading was recorded. The day dawned bright and sunshiny, just the kind of weather that adds zest to Christmas shopping.

To Name Staff

At the meeting of the High School teachers yesterday, the subject of nomination for an Annual staff was brought up.

The teachers, as usual, will select three students for each position on the staff, and the students will later select their choice for the offices.

Installing New Press

The Ironton Register is installing a 16 page Duplex Tubiar Press and a complete sterotype equipment. The new press has a speed of 30,000 papers printed, folded and counted, per hour.

In New Dress

The front of the Wolff Clothing company's store on Chillicothe street has been brightened up for the holidays with a fresh coat of paint.

Miners Idle

Athens, O., Dec. 3.—Not a pound of coal was loaded for the trade by union miners of the Hocking subdistrict today, as no men responded to the invitation of the owners to return to work at an increase of 14 percent in wages. Only a few small wagon mines worked in some parts of Southeastern Ohio. Reports this evening from the Pomeroy Bend district were that no union miners entered the works there today, completing the deadlock in this section of the state.

Varga Flopped

For the first time since coming to Portsmouth several months ago, Joe Varga went down to defeat last night at the hands of Charles E. Fox of Cleveland.

The match was the fastest and best ever seen in the city, as both men were out for blood and, while not taking any unnecessary chances, they overlooked no opportunity to work on their opponent. The first fall came fifty minutes and five seconds after the men went on the mat, Fox securing his favorite hold, a double wristlock on Varga, forcing the latter to give up to avoid having his arm broken.

The second fall was secured in four minutes and 10 seconds with the same hold. As in his previous match with Varga, Fox devoted most of his attention to wristlocks, and being fresh and in fine condition he wore Varga down and finally secured his hold in the manner he wanted, after which it was only a matter of seconds until Varga was forced to surrender the fall. Fox proved himself master of the local man at all stages of the bout, never giving Varga a chance for a really dangerous hold.

Eli and Stephen Fox, the two little sons of Fox, took the house by storm with their boxing and wrestling, which was put on as a preliminary. The children, who are only six and seven years old, are regular chips of the old block and enjoy a turn on the mat as well as their father does.

M. P. O'Mara acted as referee and Mikeholder and Ed Keigler as timekeeper.

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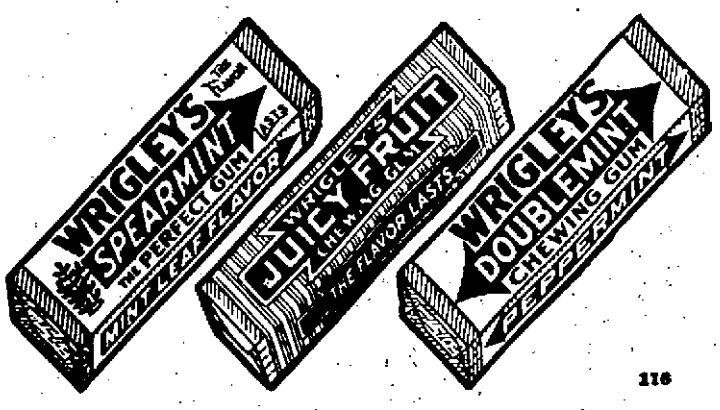

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VOORHEES FILES CHARGES AT IRONTON

The Irontonian of local interest Wednesday morning said:

"Charles Sheets and Charles Roach, both of Sherritts, this county, were before Magistrate Upp yesterday and entered pleas of guilty to having in possession and control of a ferret. The men were each assessed $25 and costs.

Charges were also filed yesterday by F. D. Voorhees and R. L. Shumate, game wardens of Portsmouth, and Jas. Chaffin, local game warden, against Supt. Allen Thoma of the street railway company, A. C. Schubart of the Model Laundry, Dennis Holderby and James Martin for the use of a ferret on a hunting trip to Sherritts about November 18th. All the defendants entered pleas of not guilty and will have a hearing on December 11th.

NEW FLOOR OF EXCELSIOR PLANT TO BE OPENED DECEMBER 19TH

Friday evening Dec. 19 the sixth floor just added to the Excelsior shoe factory will be formally opened with fitting ceremonies with the Superintendent's and Foremen's Association in charge of the festivities.

The program has been outlined. There will be a glee club of about eighty voices with Henry Henege in charge of the singers. All taking part will be from the factory. There will be a dialogue with Verne Robbins and Huston "Red" Williams dispensing the funny sayings. John E. Williams general manager of the Excelsior will give an account of the history and progress of the company. Besides these numbers there will be other numbers necessary to round out a splendid program which will begin at 7:30 o'clock.

At the conclusion of the program a buffet lunch will be served. This will be followed by a big dance. Part of the floor of the additional story to the building is of hardwood and makes a splendid place for dancing. Factory musicians will furnish the music for the dancers.

Every employe of the factory their families and friends are invited to take part in these dedicatory exercises.

ATTENTION D. O. K. K.

Special traction cars will leave Lower Market, Thursday, Dec. 4, at 5:20 p. m. Members may catch car at any point enroute. Last stop Scioto'ville, 6:10. COMMITTEE.

Wear your Fez.

Wed night Thursday noon.

Dorothy and Alberta, children of Mr. and Mrs. Charles J. Walters, 1220 Franklin avenue, who have been suffering with tonsilitis, are better.

Sure Sign of a well-pleased appetite—the satisfied look on the face of a child eating

Grape-Nuts

This food of natural sweetness is highly nourishing and full of the strength-giving qualities of whole wheat and malted barley.

One package serves many meals

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Another big dance will be given in Wilhelmette Hall tonight.

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SEEKS PRETTY GIRL WHO FLEECED THEM OUT OF HARD EARNED MONEY

CHILLICOTHE, O., Dec. 3.—Ten local men are hunting for a girl, 18 years old and pretty, who swindled them out of $3,000 on an oil land deal. The girl arrived here a month ago and made the acquaintance of the victims, representing herself to be a daughter of a wealthy rancher of Dallas, Texas.

After being entertained by them, she left, and afterward sent them letters saying her father had made a rich strike in Texas oil land and asking them if they desired stock in it.

They subscribed to "shares" from $100 to $800. Certificates of stock were received from Newark N. J. This led to an investigation on the part of two of the men. The search for Daisy is the result of their investigation in Texas.

Every Other Person Has Seborrhea

Nearly everyone suffers from the scourge of seborrhea.

But there is no need for people longer to have dandruff and falling hair.

Famo stops seborrhea and ends falling hair and itchy scalp.

It destroys the seborrhea germ by penetrating to the hair glands.

A healthy scalp results and vigorous new hair grows.

Famo contains no alcohol to dry the scalp and cause grayness.

It is sold on a positive money-back basis. If you are not satisfied with the results of the large bottle which costs One Dollar, your money will be returned.

There is also a small bottle of Famo at 35 cents. Famo is sold at all toilet goods counters and applications may be had at the better barber shops.

Seborrhea, is a morbidly increased flow from the sebaceous glands of the scalp. The seborrhean secretion forms in scales and flakes and is commonly known as dandruff.

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Special Famo Agents

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Oh You Red Ink

Monthly report cards were issued at the High School today. It is rumored that a goodly amount of red ink was used in filling in the estimates.

WITH THE SICK

Miss Violet Starret, 1222 Franklin avenue who has been ill with la grippe is better.

Marion White 1221 Franklin avenue, who has been ill for several weeks threatened with typhoid fever is showing signs of an early recovery.

William and Dorothy Rayburn, 1220 Franklin avenue, who have been ill with diphtheria are able to be out.

Hidden Hand Whispers.

A correspondent of an English paper recently indulged in this bull: "Lest a whisper of the hidden hand be heard—," Was it an English clergyman who said to his congregation: "Brethren, the muddy pool of politics was the rock on which I split"?—Outlook.

Columbia Records at Hatel's tf

FIND OUT WHAT CAUSES YOUR RHEUMATISM

Then You Will Be Able To Treat It Intelligently

The medical profession has not yet fully determined all of the causes of rheumatism though they are pretty well agreed on two points.

The first is that the disease is more than a mere local trouble, that the pangs of pain come from a source that is far below the surface, and therefore it is not reasonable to expect any rational relief from a treatment that is locally applied and reaches only the surface.

When you realize the logic of this conclusion, you will see that you are really wasting your time and money if you are expecting any permanent relief from the use of liniments, lotions, and other locally applied treatment, which can only reach the surface, and have no effect whatever upon the origin of your trouble.

Any disease should be treated at its source, and especially one that causes as much suffering as rheumatism. For what you want is not mere temporary relief from the torturing pangs of pain, which will promptly return with renewed severity. The only treatment worth while is one that will show some progress toward getting at the source of the disease, and freeing the victim from its shackles.

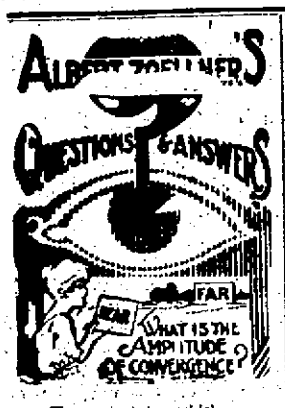
The other point that the medical profession has agreed upon, is that some forms of rheumatism are caused by a tiny disease germ in the blood, which multiplies by the million, and until these germs are routed from the blood, you can see how futile local treatment will be. In fact, you can rub with liniments and use lotions by the gallon and never hope to reach the cause of your trouble.

So many people have found real permanent relief from their rheumatism by the use of S. S. S. that its use is justified in practically every case. Certainly if your rheumatism is due to a germ in the blood, as so many thousands of cases are, you should lose no time in beginning the use of S. S. S., because you can rely upon this fine old blood remedy to do you more good than any other treatment.

S. S. S. is beneficial in rheumatism because it is such a thorough blood medicine. It cleanses the blood of all impurities, and eradicates the germs which cause rheumatism. The wonderful results it has accomplished in other cases is proof of its great merit. S. S. S. has been on the market for more than fifty years and is sold by all druggists.

You are invited to write our medical department for valuable literature and advice about the treatment of your own case, for which no charge is made. Address Chief Medical Adviser, 156 Swift Laboratory, Atlanta, Georgia.

Women's and Misses' Suits on Sale at Reduced Prices At The Atlas Store



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TO CLEAR HEAD AND CLEAN LIVER TAKE A CALOTAB

The Nauseless Calomel Tablet that is Purified and Refined From the Sickening Effects.

What will human ingenuity do next? Smokeless powder, wireless telegraphy, horseless carriages, colorless iodine, tasteless quinine—now comes nauseless calomel. The new improvement called "Calotabs" is now on sale at druggists.

For biliousness, constipation and indigestion the new calomel tablet is a practically perfect remedy, as evidenced by the fact that the manufacturers have authorized all druggists to refund the price if the customer is not "perfectly delighted" with Calotabs. One tablet at bedtime with a swallow of water—that's all. No taste, no nausea, no griping, no salts. By morning your liver is thoroughly cleansed and you are feeling fine, with a hearty appetite. Eat what you please—no danger—go about your business.

Calotabs are not sold in bulk. Get an original package, sealed. Price thirty-five cents.—(adv.)

LOW EXEMPTIONS

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who met last night to consider changes in the Hughes health code, agreed to hear Dr. A. W. Freeman, state health commission, and James E. Bauman, deputy commissioner, today before taking any action.

Representative Hughes, of Lorain county, author of the health code, vigorously defends the law in a state ment issued today. He suggests an amendment that will provide a check against extravagance and make some provision for emergency finance but says that "in view of the possibility of a return of the influenza epidemic, it is unthinkable that we should delay the operation of the law one moment longer than necessary."

The house of representatives was prepared to vote this afternoon on the graduated automobile tax law the first taxation measure submitted by the joint taxation committee as a part of the general assembly's taxation program.

Under the new schedule of rates as proposed yesterday, considerable opposition by automobile owners is said to have vanished. Fred Caley, secretary of the Automobile Association, says the bill is a considerable improvement over the original. Secretaries of all automobile associations will meet here tomorrow to discuss the measure. It was stated by senate leaders today that no effort will be made to pass the bill in the senate before next week.

Because of growing opposition among legislators to the Hughes health bill, which was enacted during the last session of the assembly, it is understood that it may be repealed outright during the present session. It was rumored today that Senator Whitemore, majority leader, will introduce the bill providing for repeal.

Friends of the measure, realizing the opposition to it, had hoped to have it amended to eliminate the objectionable features, but it is understood that legislative leaders are of the opinion that any attempt to amend would result in a hodge-podge measure incapable of administration and that the best way out is to repeal it in toto. Chief objection to the law is the broad authority for creating a financial budget to administer it. It is declared to be a burden on already overburdened taxing districts.

DARING BANDIT

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hand. He was unable to get medical aid and the bullet was still in his hand when captured.

Boasts of Identity

While roaming about from ranch to ranch in the Laramie country, he made no attempt to conceal his identity. In fact at many of the ranches he boasted of it. It was not until Saturday that any of his involuntary hosts notified the officers of his whereabouts.

Carlisle will be kept under guard at the hospital here for several days and then he will be returned to the penitentiary at Rawlins.

Many thousands of dollars were spent in attempting to capture the bandit.

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TOLEDO COUNCIL AMENDS OUSTER ORDINANCE

TOLEDO, O., Dec. 3.—Street car service, which was discontinued here a month ago when the company took its cars into Michigan, is expected to be restored in the next few days, as the result of action of the city council today. The council passed an amendment to the ouster ordinance, by which the people, at the polls November 4, ordered the company off the streets.

The amendment gives the Toledo Railways and Light Company the right to use the streets at a fare of 6 cents, two cents for a transfer.

Armed with the council legislation, Federal Judge Killits is expected to order the cars back at once. He attempted to effect a temporary settlement on a sixty day basis, but discontinued his efforts until the council would act.

Henry L. Doherty, who controls the street car company, has threatened to appeal to the United States supreme court against an order by Judge Killits to restore service.

Visited Vanceburg

Dr. Howard Sellards of Offnere street spent Wednesday in Vanceburg on business.

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BIG CUT IN GAS SUPPLY FOR NORTH OHIO TOWNS

CHARLESTON, W. VA., Dec. 3.—The diversion of natural gas from the mains of the Hope Natural Gas Company to the West Virginia Traction and Electric Company, recently ordered by the West Virginia public service commission, would affect Pennsylvania and not Ohio towns, it was stated by O. E. C. Wiles, chairman of the commission, here today.

COLUMBUS, O., Dec. 3.—On top of an already acute coal shortage, many northern and northwestern Ohio cities are facing a big curtailment of their gas supply from West Virginia, as a result of an order of the West Virginia utilities commission just brought to the attention of Ohio authorities.

According to information reaching Attorney General Price, the West Virginia commission has provided for a connection of the lines of the Hope Natural Gas Company of West Virginia, which supplies northern Ohio with gas, with the lines of the West Virginia Traction and Electric Company.

If the authority of the commission given the Hope company is carried out, it will mean the diversion of 2,000,000 cubic feet of gas a day to the West Virginia Traction and Light Company and consequently loss of this amount to the Ohio companies, which it supplies. The contract, which the commission has approved, calls for 250,000,000 cubic feet of gas to be furnished the traction and light company in the next nine months.

The Hope company is a producing and transmitting company and among its clients are the Northern Natural Gas Company of Toledo, and the East Ohio Gas Company of Cleveland.

These latter companies supply gas to Toledo, Cleveland, Canton, Akron, Youngstown, Niles, Massillon, Ravenna, Warren, Uhrichsville, Denison, New Philadelphia and other smaller northern Ohio municipalities.

Attorney General Price is preparing to take action in the federal courts to prevent the action being carried out. It is regarded as a dangerous precedent. Ohio and Pennsylvania officials last spring brought suit in the United States court to prevent the enforcement of the Stephe bill passed by the West Virginia legislature, which was designed to curtail the supply of gas from that state to Ohio and Pennsylvania. The case is still pending in the supreme court.

Price said he may seek an injunction in the federal courts to restrain the latest action of West Virginia officials to curtail Ohio's gas supply.

WOOD, WILSON AND FRAZIER ENDORSED FOR PRESIDENT

PIERRE, S. D., Dec. 3.—Major General Leonard Wood, President Woodrow Wilson and Governor Lynn J. Frazier, of North Dakota, today had the indorsement for president of the United States of the Republicans, Democrats and Non-Partisan League, respectively, of South Dakota. The indorsements were made at the state conventions of the three parties last night. The Democrats indorsed Vice President Marshall for a third time, while the Republicans gave their endorsement to Governor Coolidge, of Massachusetts, for the vice presidency. The Democratic platform had for its keynote permanent peace under the League of Nations, while Americanism stood out as the permanent issue of the Republican resolutions.

LEGAL NOTICE

Bertha A. Webb, whose residence is unknown, will take notice that John T. Webb, her husband, has filed his petition in the court of Common Pleas, Scioto County, Ohio, being case No. 4590, praying for a divorce on the grounds of wilful absence for more than three years and that said cause will be for hearing on and after six weeks from the date of this first publication.

Dated this 3rd day of December, 1919.

JOHN T. WEBB

Thomas C. Beatty, Atty. for Plaintiff. 3-7 We.

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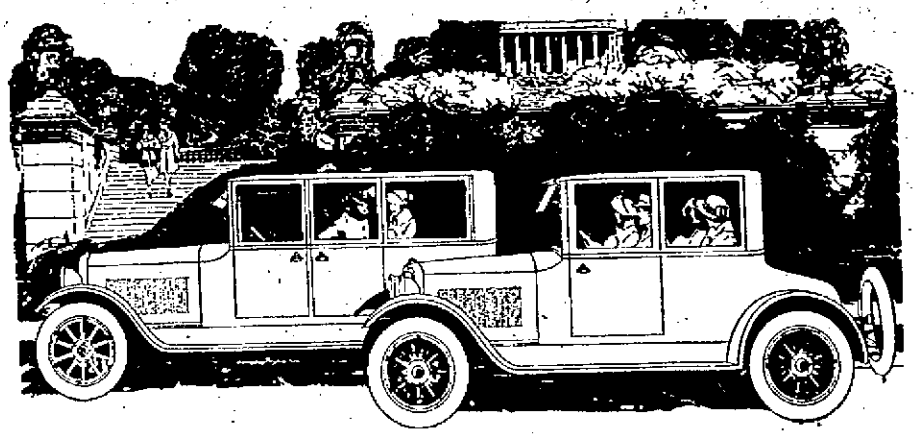

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Underwear for all members of the family

Cotton, wool nap and wool blankets.

Bed spreads.

Gifts in Abundance
Handkerchiefs, thousands of them, initial, plain and fancy corners.
Special lots of women's hdkfs., 10c, 15c, and 25c.
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's and men's initial hdkfs.

Chamoisette and silk gloves in white, black, grey and brown, 50c to $1.25 pr.

Fine silk and lisle hosiery, colors, black, white, tan, brown, grey. Prices 25c to $2.75 pair.

Men's 4-in hand fancy silk ties in boxes 50c.

Men's suspenders in fancy boxes 50c pair.

Women's silk hose in fancy boxes, $1.50 to $2.75 pair.

Leather, velvet, plush and velour bags.

Boudoir caps, lace and silk 59c.

Fancy ribbons for purses, also purse tops.

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LAXA-PIRIN
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Contains Aspirin
Combined with Time-Proved Remedies and Fine Laxatives. Read Formula Upon the Box.
Contains No Quinine To Upset Any Sensitive System
25 Cents All Druggists

Charged With Forgery

Promptly on his arrival home from Cincinnati yesterday afternoon with Mrs. Rosa Poole in custody Sheriff E. E. Rickey left for Grand Rapids, Mich., to bring back to this city C. E. Heeter, alias Young, who is wanted here on an alleged charge of forging the name of Dave Ferrell, proprietor of the Victory Cafeteria to several checks.

Heeter, who was formerly employed as chef at the cafeteria and, it is claimed he pilfered several of the firm's blank checks before leaving several weeks ago. When several of these checks came through the local bank for payment, Mr. Ferrell pronounced them rank forgeries and resulted in a warrant being secured for Heeter's arrest. The man was taken into custody by the Grand Rapids authorities at the instance of Sheriff Rickey.

Mrs. Poole, who was arrested on a warrant charging her with abandoning her children, was released on bond yesterday for her appearance in the probate court to answer to the complaint which was filed by her husband Scott Poole.

Woman Killed By Auto

Mrs. N. J. Hunt of Huntington, W. Va. was struck and instantly killed by an automobile on the concrete road above Proctorville about eight o'clock last evening. The driver of the car is not known as he did not stop to investigate the damage he had done. Sheriff Hutchinson of Ironton is investigating the fatality.

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Burns Fatal To Child

Goldie, five-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Evans of Hanging Rock died Tuesday in great agony from the effect of burns sustained on Monday afternoon. The little girl was left alone in the house for a few minutes while her mother went into the yard at their home and an open door permitted a draft to blow her dress against a hot stove. Her clothing became ignited and before the flames could be extinguished she had been totally burned.

Plan For All Day Meeting

Loyal Workers of the Grandview Avenue Christian church are going to have an all day meeting at the church Thursday, each member bringing her needle, thimble, scissors and a well filled lunch basket.

There will be a social hour between the hours of 2 and 3 in the afternoon.

The class is working on quilts and other articles which will be sold at a bazaar to be held just before Christmas.

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Furs are the gift of gifts! You can buy furs of beautiful appearance and lustre in any style—yet at a very modest price if you make your selection here at once.

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Black Animal Scarf $7.98
A good sized black scarf—or leopard coney—in a full animal shape, trimmed with head, tail and claws. Lined with satin—satin ribbon and ball fur trimmed.

Cross Fox Sets $29.95
Your choice of Jap fox, cross fox or black Alaska fox sets at a saving price. Scarfs are head, tail and claw trimmed. Muffs trimmed also with head, tail and claws. All satin lined.

Black Coney Muff . . $5.93
A black coney ball muff made head and tail trimmed and satin lined.

Stylish Cape Scarf $19.95
Shawl, cape and animal scarfs in several beautiful furs, priced low at $19.95.

Raccoon Muff at . . $9.95
Large size raccoon, mountain lion and black coney ball muffs. Head, tail and claw trimmed. Satin lined.

Attractive Fur Scarfs $12.95
Animal stole and shawl scarfs in Russ coney, Sea mole and other furs—beautiful styles.

Children's Furs $3.49
The children's fur sets are priced at $3.49 and up. About twelve different furs to choose from.

Child's Fox Set $6.95
A red fox fur set for children, a good size, well lined, full trimmed.

Muslin Nightgown . . . 85c
Women's good quality muslin night gowns, made with neat embroidered flounces.

Fine Kid Gloves . . . $1.98
Black, brown and grey, extra quality kid gloves made with contrasting stitches on back.

Women's Silk Hose . . 79c
Women's fine quality boot silk hose and lace silk hose in black, white and colors.

Sleeping Garments . . . 98c
Children's outing flannel sleeping garments—made with feet—in pink or blue striped patterns.

Up To $2 Beaver Hats Pattern Hats, Model Hats, and Trimmed Hats now . . $4.98
All trimmed and pattern hats in beaver, panne velvet, Lyons velvet and other good silk velvets reduced for immediate clearing. Prices reduced a half or less.
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Hats priced up to $6 now $2.98
Hats priced up to $4.50 now $1.98

Children's Hats
have been greatly reduced for quick selling. Pretty velvet trimmed hats for girls and children; all colors, all shapes—now
98c, $1.49, and $1.98

$2 Corsets at $1.69
High bust or elastic top, low bust models. Fine coutil, six hose supporters, elastic stays.

White Toilet Set . . . $1.49
White ivorized toilet set including comb, bristle hair brush and good mirror in box.

Infants' Sweaters . . $1.29
This is a white wool sweater in pink and blue trimmed styles. Keep baby warm.

Flannelette Kimonos $1.98
Fine quality flannelette kimonos in long full styles. Made with elastic waist and trimmed with satin ribbons and buttons.

Child's Bloomers 59c
Children's black sateen bloomers of good quality. Elastic knee, well made. Sizes to 14 years.

Boys' Sweater $1.98
These are dandy sweater coats for boys in various colors. Made with large collar, pockets, etc.

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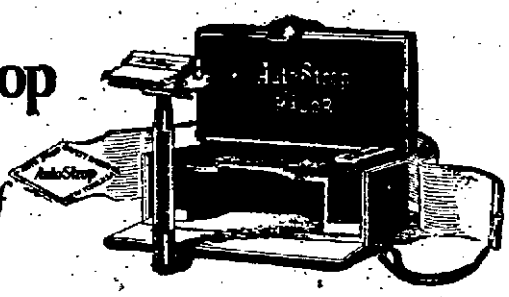

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Plan For Xmas Tree

IRONTON, O., Dec. 3.—The Chamber of Commerce Xmas Tree committee held its first meeting of the year in the rooms of the organization last evening at 7 o'clock and plans were laid for the biggest free yet planned by the Chamber of Commerce. The affairs of the committee will be in charge of Rev. W. H. Hampton, chairman of the committee, as they have been in the past and this assures the success of the tree.

Remember "The Midway," 915 Waller street, for "Smoke that smoke." Dec. 3-21.

No Sunday Dinner

Dinner will not be served at the Elks' Club Sundy because of the Elks' Memorial being held on that day.

If Distel sold it, it's good. tf

XMAS SEALS CARDS, POST CARDS, ETC.
We have a large assortment of beautiful cards with envelopes ranging in price for 3c, 5c and 10c.
Also a large variety of seals for sealing dainty Xmas packages.
A few Xmas boxes for mailing small articles.
The Rexall Store
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Jewelry For Christmas

Our Christmas sales are starting out better than any previous year which proves that many more people than ever before are featuring Apel's watches, clocks, cuff links, tie pins, watch chains, lockets, necklaces, pearl beads, silverware, cut glass, field glasses, military brushes and various other articles.
We have a few diamond rings and brooches which would be a good investment, just step in and look them over.

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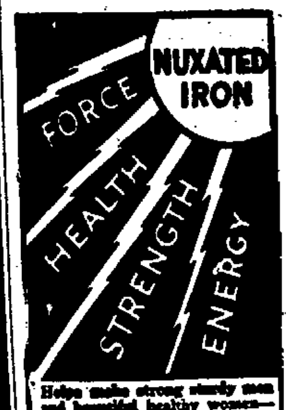

Helps make strong sturdy men and beautiful healthy women—Used by over 3,000,000 people annually as a tonic, strength and blood builder. Ask your doctor or druggist about Nuxated Iron.

CHICAGO, Dec. 3.—Fifty percent reduction in the number of steam and interurban railway trains, closing of all department stores two days each week, and all theaters one night weekly and the limitation of business hours for all stores to between 11 a. m. and 3:30 p. m., were among the measures ordered today for conservation of fuel by the Chicago public utilities commission. Trains on elevated roads are to be reduced to one car except during the rush hours, morning and evening.

Limitation of street lighting also was ordered by the commission. It was stated that not more than 25 days' supply of coal remained in the possession of Chicago public utilities and that virtually no coal is being received in the city. The commission supported by Governor Frank O. Lowden, who is in Chicago today, held that most extraordinary measures of restriction are necessary to prevent a public calamity.

Business is Business.

Old Hardleigh (to the matrimonial agent)—There is another point I'd like to have settled. I am living in the country. My intended must be shipped to me. Are your terms f. o. b., or do you pay the freight?

LEGAL NOTICE

The stockholders of the Portsmouth Tie Company will hereby take notice that upon the tenth day of January 1920, at 9:00 o'clock A. M. a meeting will be held at Room 48, First National Bank Building, Portsmouth, Ohio, for the purpose of determining the advisability of surrendering the charter of The Portsmouth Tie Company.

(Signed) V. B. TAYLOR, President.

Nov. 26-4 Weds.

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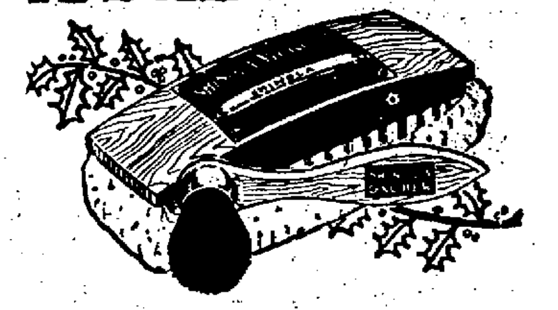

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THE THREE LITTLE TAILORS

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INSTITUTE OPENS AT WHEELERSBURG

Today the Farmers' Institute at Wheelersburg opened in the high school building there with a large attendance. It will continue tonight with a session at 7:30 o'clock and two sessions tomorrow, the Institute coming to a close with the Thursday afternoon session.

The state lecturers are C. P. Dyer, E. J. Riggs and Mrs. Margaret Romine, Mr. Dyar being the two day speaker.

Community singing is a feature of the Institutes this year, all taking a part in the musical end of the program. Song books are furnished by the State Agricultural Department, which Department also assigns the lecturers.

This morning the Institute opened at 9 a. m. with C. P. Dyar delivering a lecture on "Soy Beans and Cow Peas." Dyer is a man who is master of his subject and always delivers an interesting and helping talk. He rents a truck farm and speaks from his experience. "Orchard Management" was the subject of Mr. Riggs' lecture. He is a highly trained and successful orchardist and has had years of study and experience in orcharding.

At one o'clock the afternoon session started with Dyar making a talk on "Growing and Marketing Wheat." Mr. Riggs lectured on "Pruning and Spraying the Fruit Tree." Both talks were followed by long discussions, all taking part.

Tonight Mr. Dyar will lecture on "A New Era and a New Spirit."

Tomorrow Mrs. Margaret Romine will make helpful talks of interest to farm women, her chief subject being, "The Conservation of the Farm Wife", which will have a place on the morning program.

The Institutes at Haverhill and Pond Run closed Tuesday afternoon. The South Webster Institute opens Friday morning.

Dr. Howard always recommended

Oxidaze for Coughs Colds, Br. Asthma

Years of study and observation convinced him it would safely, quickly and surely stop a bad cough and give instant relief in Bronchial Asthma. Money back if it fails. Guaranteed harmless. All druggists.

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SOCIETY

The celebration of three wedding anniversaries was held at the home of Mrs. Frank Mitchell, at City View, on Thanksgiving Day, the honor guests being Mr. and Mrs. George Mitchell for their seventeenth anniversary, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Kemper's seventh anniversary and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Mitchell's first anniversary. Among those present were Mr. and Mrs. Francis Anderson and children, Cecil Hazel and Martha Elizabeth, Mr. and Mrs. George Mitchell and children, Pearl, Charles, Harold and John, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Kemper and children, Elizabeth, Frances, Walter and Raymond, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Mitchell, and Francis Mitchell.

Mrs. C. W. Wendelken's class of young women of Trinity Sunday school will meet in social session Saturday afternoon at the home of Miss Dorothy Goetz, of Seventh street. Miss Virginia Gilbert will be the assistant hostess.

The Home League will meet Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. J. D. Jordan, 1061 Eleventh street.

The informal dance at the Blue Triangle was well attended last evening, when a number of young people from Wheelersburg, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Samson, attended. Music was furnished by Miss Clara Hans, pianist, Mr. De Pinto, accordian, and Raymond Hicks, violinist.

All business girls who expect to attend the club supper at the Blue Triangle Thursday evening at 6 o'clock, are requested to phone their acceptances to 1530-J, not later than this evening. The supper will be followed by a business meeting.

NEW PLAN FOR TAXING AUTOS

COLUMBUS, O., Dec. 3.—Senator Tom Jones, of Meigs county, is evolving a new plan for taxing automobiles by the amount of gasoline consumed. He may submit his plan in the form of a bill to the legislature. It is an entirely new scheme and the senator has not yet gotten his ideas into concrete form. He is working on the plan.

RIVER NEWS

Portsmouth, Ohio
Wednesday, December 3, 1919

	Flood stage, feet.	Height of river, feet.	Change since last 24 hrs.	Precipitation last 24
Greensboro, Pa.	15	5.4F	-0.5	
Pittsburg	22	5.5F	-1.1	
Dam No. 13		13.3F	-2.1	
Zanesville O.	25	14.0F	-1.9	
Parkersburg	36	15.7F	-2.7	
Charleston	30	5.0F	-0.4	
Point Pleasant	40	21.4F	-4.6	
Dam No. 26		25.2F		
Huntington	50	26.0F	-5.0	
Ashland, Ky.	50	0.5F	-5.4	
Portsmouth	50	33.3F	-5.2	
Cincinnati	50	40.7F	-3.7	

Forecast:

Fair and continued cold over upper Ohio valley tonight and Thursday.
Rain at Portsmouth will fall.
WINTER, River Observer

To Start a Clock.

The stopping of a clock may be due to clogged wheels. Thoroughly saturate a piece of white cotton with kerosene oil and place it inside the clock case. Probably at the end of a week the cotton will be black with dust that has been loosened by the fumes of the oil and the clock will run as well as ever.

BE MY GUEST AT THE EIKS CHARITY BALL

Each day beginning, Monday, November 17th to the first patient having work done at this office (extracting not included) I will present a ticket admitting one couple to th Elks Charity Ball.

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Ready To Tell You The Exact Location Of Our Intended New Store

While not to be ready for occupancy before next Fall and work on the new building not to start before Spring we can not keep the good news from you, and

We Take Pride In Announcing, Of Being Fortunate Enough In Securing The Most Prominent Location On Gallia Street

The vacancy now between the Sun theatre and Security Bank right across from the Columbia theatre.

A Magnificent Three Story Building To Be Erected

Extending over the entire lot and through to Sixth street (including a Sixth street entrance), dimensions 42x120, over 15,000 feet of floor space to be devoted exclusively to women's, misses' and children's ready-to-wear.

Positively One Of The Largest And Most Complete Specialty Shops In Southern Ohio When Ready For Occupancy

Nothing will be spared to make it an institution worth while to this community of which we can frankly say we have faith in, and we shall stand ready to serve the good women of Portsmouth and vicinity and concentrate all our efforts and energy upon one thing and that is "efficiency."

We Have Long Realized That Portsmouth Needed A Store Of This Calibre

A little nerve is all, it is needed to "do things" and we have the nerve alright. As our Mr. Kline says, the greatest pleasure a man gets in business life is what he fights for, namely "to succeed", that's what makes things interesting.

Our Success Is Most Assured

Judging of the eagerness our patrons have displayed in inquiring constantly about our new store since we have announced of having such intentions and so may remarked that it was high time for us to get busy, and why hesitate then! When we are accorded such encouragement. "We have faith in Portsmouth and her people."

We thank you, one and all, for your earnest support.

Cordially Yours,
THE FASHION.

A. Kline

Dining Room Is Closed

Closing today, the Elks' dining room will remain closed until noon Monday, December 8th, at which time the dining room will open under new management. J. A. Dike, Parkersburg, has taken over the interests of Ben Baglin and will manage the dining room of the club.

General remodeling is being done in the club rooms by Contractors H. B. Kaps and James Pfeiffer.

REFUSE TO HANDLE CARS

PITTSBURG, KAN., Dec. 3.—Railroad trainmen at Frontenac have refused to handle cars containing coal mined by the state's volunteer miners.

Meet me at Nye's Fountain. 124

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Bed Comforts from .... $3.00 up
Extra size home made Comforts, white cotton filling at $5.00 and $6.00 each.

Full assortment of all sizes in Ladies', Gents' and Children's Underwear at prices that will suit all.

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909-911 Gallia Street
Store Closed Thursday, Thanksgiving Day.

JACKSON NEWS

JACKSON, Dec. 3.—The owners of the Iron Bank voted at their annual meeting held December 1, to incorporate with a capital of $25,000. This bank opened its doors for business Monday December 15, 1873. The original directors were James Chestnut Isaac Brown, W. T. Sappington, James Kipp and Thomas P. Sutherland. The first named, who was born in 1834, and has lived in Jackson since 1854, is still a director and he and Capt J. C. Hurd, the president, Ora A. Evans, the cashier, and A. E. Irvin and C. O. Brown, have been selected as the incorporators. Sappington was the first cashier but he remained with the bank only a little while. Evans, who is now cashier, entered the bank in 1898. Capt. J. C. Hurd, who is now president of the bank, entered its service in 1877 C. O. Brown, one of the incorporators, is a son of Isaac Brown, one of the founders. A. L. Irvin is a son-in-law of Thomas P. Sutherland. Another son-in-law, Judge David Davis of Cincinnati, attended the annual meeting. Also Sol Freiberg, of Cincinnati, whose wife is a niece of B. Kahn, another of the founders. Only one private bank remains in Jackson—the Commercial—of which Samuel S. Stephenson is president.

D. Edgar Morgan an attorney located at Cleveland visited his mother Mrs. Elias Morgan at Oak Hill this week.

Sheriff W. G. Davis his former deputy Ralph Dixon, and David E. Howell, were summoned before the Federal Court at Columbus today as witnesses. They took with them the liquor seized by Sheriff Davis from two Wellston men passing through Jackson in an automobile last spring.

Martha Gilbert Dungan widow of Hon. Levi Dungan, died at Columbus December 1, aged 74 years, and her funeral will be held at Jackson tomorrow. Her husband, one of the leading Democrats of Southern Ohio died in 1873. There survive five sons and one daughter—Charles, Harry, Warren, Frank and Lewis, the latter an attorney at Cleveland, and Miss Dorothy Dungan, who lives with her mother, also one step daughter Mrs J. C. Hurd Mrs. Dungan was a sister of Samuel Gilbert one of the older citizens of Portsmouth.

Dogs continue to kill sheep in Jackson county and the Commissioners allowed Henry Hinsinger $82 for sheep claims, W. C. Weese $40, John Feagle $13, Scott Aleshire $10 and John W. Hays $8 at their December meeting.

Joseph Radcliffe has bought the Pastime Theatre on Main street and will make many improvements before reopening it. Tom Rogers will manage it.

Newman Miller of Oak Hill, has received an honorable discharge from the navy and is now at home.

Emin Hoover of Jeffersonville is visiting relatives in this county.

President J. H. Newvahiner of the First National Bank accompanied by Mrs. Newvahiner are visiting in Columbus.

William Humphreys of Chicago was called to Jackson on account of the death of his aged mother Mrs. Margaret Humphreys, who was 82 years old.

Meet me at "The Midway," 915 Waller street. "Smoke up." Dec. 3-24

Louis Pasteur

Sickness Cure or *Sickness Prevention*

When Pasteur proved the relation of germs to infectious disease, he marked a big advance in that development of medical science which reigns today—the Idea of *Sickness Prevention.*

As a result, many plagues and epidemics that were the bane of former ages no longer terrify the world, and science has now developed an effective agent against the condition which is the first cause of over 90% of all human disease—*constipation.*

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Is A Clever Entertainer

Gay Zenola MacLaren will be at the High School auditorium Thursday evening on the Elementary Lyceum Course. The entertainment opens at 8:15 p. m.

Miss MacLaren's home is in New York City, so it is convenient for her to attend early performances of the great productions see the interpretations by the best actors and in the leading playhouses. She doesn't claim to originate the many characters she assumes, but bases her success on an ability to mimic.

Is Improving

Frank McConnell, a local barber, who has been suffering with blood poison the result of trimming a corn too closely, is improving.

Returns To Kenova

H. G. Morris has returned to Kenova after a week's visit with his family at 1651 North avenue. He is a passenger conductor from Kenova to Williamson on the N. & W.

PIMPLY? WELL, DON'T BE

People Notice It. Drive Them Off with Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets

A pimply face will not embarrass you much longer if you get a package of Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets. The skin should begin to clear after you have taken the tablets a few nights.

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Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets do that which calomel does, and just as effectively, but their action is gentle and safe instead of severe and irritating.

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No. 17	local, daily, ex. Sun.	9:40 A. M.
No. 7	local train daily	2:31 P. M.
No. 3	fast train daily	3:20 P. M.

EAST BOUND

No. 5	local train daily	11:10 A. M.
No. 1	fast train daily	2:07 P. M.
No. 15	local daily ex. Sun.	3:22 P. M.
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COLUMBUS DISTRICT
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EAST BOUND

No. 16	Daily	11:55 A. M.
No. 30	Daily	7:25 P. M.
No. 4	Daily	12:05 A. M.

WEST BOUND

No. 3	Daily	8:55 A. M.
No. 13	Daily	1:00 A. M.
No. 15	Daily	2:15 P. M.
No. 29	Daily Does Not Run West of Portsmouth	2:20 P. M.

CINCINNATI DISTRICT

WEST BOUND

No. 37	Daily	4:10 A. M.
No. 35	Daily, except Sunday	7:00 A. M.
No. 47	Daily	2:10 P. M.
No. 33	Daily	2:25 P. M.

EAST BOUND
ARRIVE PORTSMOUTH

No. 12	Daily	10:20 A. M.
No. 36		11:35 A. M.
No. 38	Daily, except Sunday	8:00 P. M.
No. 34		11:30 P. M.

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Fisher & Streich's Pharmacy, sells Nerv-Worth in Portsmouth. The Jenkins Pharmacy in Oak Hill.

Board To Meet

The Election Board will meet in monthly session in its offices in the Kricker building tonight at 7:30. Routine matters will be disposed of.

One Market Each Week

Market Master P. M. Fagan stated today that for the balance of the winter only one night market would be held, and that on Saturday night, instead of Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday.

Dr. Ruggles At Meeting

Dr. S. D. Ruggles of this city is in Columbus in attendance at the annual meeting of the Ohio Dental Society. He is on the program for an address.

NEW BOSTON HAPPENINGS

The Ladies Aid society of the Baptist church will have an all day session Thursday in the church basement. All members are urged to attend this meeting as there is plenty of work to be done.

Mrs. Robert McGinnis and family of Walnut street, Sciotoville, were the guests Tuesday of her mother Mrs. B. F. Brown of Ohio avenue.

Section Two of the Christian church met Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. Clarence McGinnis with several members present. After the business session social chat and needle work was indulged in. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. A. B. Griffin of Ohio avenue.

Mrs. B. F. Brown is ill at her home on Ohio avenue.

Mrs. A. B. Griffin of Ohio avenue who has been ill is on the road to recovery.

The many friends of Clarence Staten of Stanton avenue who is seriously ill with pneumonia, will be pleased to know that he is slightly improved.

Jacob Lett of Stanton avenue is ill with lung trouble.

All members of the Jr. O. U. A. M. council No. 288 are urged to be at the hall on Friday afternoon December 5, as a photographer has been secured to be there to take a picture of the order.

The Ladies Aid society of the Baptist church is planning to hold a bake and fancy work sale on December 24 in the hardware store on Gallia avenue.

Miss Clara Ellen Henning of Harrisonville avenue delightfully entertained the W. W. G. girls of the Baptist church at her home last evening. The Intermediate class and teacher, Mrs. James Clark, were the guests of the W. W. G. girls. Concluding the business session, various games were indulged in, after which a dainty lunch was served by the hostess.

Mrs. Samuel Shoemaker of Minford, is the guest of her sister Mrs. Harley Flack of Harrisonville avenue.

Mrs. Robert Oliver of Market street Sciotoville, who is ill at the home of her sister, Mrs. Harry Smith of Grace street, shows little improvement.

BILIOUS?

If you have bad taste in mouth, foul breath, furred tongue, dull headache, drowsiness, disturbed sleep, mental depression, yellowish skin—then you are bilious.

SCHENCK'S MANDRAKE PILLS

quickly relieve this disorder, which is the result of liver derangement and severe digestive disturbance.

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Have you catarrh?
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Have you a cough?
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Have you a cold?
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Hyomei is the one treatment for nose, throat, and lung troubles. It does not contain cocaine, morphine or other dangerous drugs and does away with stomach dosing. Just breathe it through the little pocket inhaler that comes with each outfit.

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Mrs. Lizzie Schwartz is ill at her home on Third street near Madison.

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LEGAL NOTICE

The stockholders of the Scioto Lumber Company will hereby take notice that upon the tenth day of January 1920, at 9:00 o'clock A. M. a meeting will be held at Room 42, First National Bank Building Portsmouth, Ohio, for the purpose of determining the advisability of surrendering the charter of the Scioto Lumber Company.

(Signed) V. E. TAYLOR,
President.

Nov. 24 Wds.

Your Children's Future

Now is the time to prepare them for opportunities and emergencies—possibly for actual necessities.

Resolve now to set aside a little each week and deposit it in a Savings Account where it will be safe and earning interest for them.

Little Savings Account

The First National Bank

Andres Elected President Of Sioux City, Iowa Team

Friends here of George Andres will be interested to learn that he has just been elected to the presidency of the Sioux City baseball team in the Western league. He has been secretary and business manager of the team for several years.

Mr. Andres was for a number of years regarded as one of the best all-round players in that league. He gained his diamond prowess on the old Polo Grounds in the Scioto bottoms, and had he not been so unfortunate as to lose two fingers of his right hand in an accident, he would have had no peer in his day as an infielder. He was born and reared in the old West End, where the news of his latest advancement will be received with much satisfaction.

Heider Makes Big Hit

"Listen Lester" is making a big hit at the Hartman theatre in Columbus. Here is what the Dispatch critic had to say of Fred Heider's work:

"Fred Heider is just as original in his comedy. How this man lives out a season is a mystery, for he takes more comedy falls and daring leaps and curious steps than any one on record. As a comic hotel clerk, he even dims the glory of Arthur Aylsworth, and his eccentric dancing to "Sweet Stuff" and his "Two Is Company" duo with Miss Weeks introduces many clever strides. He is about the most refreshing musical comedian of the season."

Scioto In Banks

The Scioto river is falling so rapidly that it is again back in its banks. The water is also off the "Y" road leading to the West Side from the city.

Geeks To Meet

The Geeks will meet in semi-monthly session Friday night. They will put on their annual minstrel early in February.

At Selby Plant

James Newman of Third street has taken a job in the Selby shoe plant.

Ashland Visitor

W. J. Bryan of Ashland was here today on business in the interest of the Ashland Iron and Steel company.

Distel's for the best Furniture. tf

New Sign Is Beauty

Walter Wilhelm, a Chillicothe street jeweler, has a new electric sign, which is a "beauty." It was built and erected by Walter Phillips.

ABOUT RHEUMATISM

What Thousands Have Found Gives Relief From This Painful Trouble.

Rheumatism is a constitutional disease, manifesting itself in local aches and pains, inflamed joints and stiff muscles. It cannot be cured by local or external applications. It must have constitutional treatment.

Take a course of the great blood-purifying and tonic medicine, Hood's Sarsaparilla, which corrects the acid condition of the blood on which rheumatism depends, and gives permanent relief. This medicine combines, with excellent alteratives and tonics, what is generally conceded to be the most effective agent in the treatment of this disease.

If a cathartic or laxative is needed take Hood's Pills. Purely vegetable.

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A poor diamond is not cheap at any price.

We are showing a large selection of the finer quality diamonds—bought for spot cash before the last severe advances in price and can save you money. A beautiful selection. $1500 down to $5 with special values at $25, $50, $75 and $100. Select one now for Xmas.

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MASONIC NOTICE

Special meeting of Aurora Lodge Thursday, Dec. 4th at 3 p. m. Work in M. M. Degree.

Special meeting of Calvary Commandery, Friday, Dec. 5th at 3 p. m. Work in Red Cross and Temple.

WANTED

WANTED—To buy grocery store. Phone 1870-Y after 7 p. m. 3-2t

WANTED—Woman to do washing and ironing. 1011 Timmonds avenue. 3tf

WANTED—Woman for housework, Friday morning. Phone 1848-R. 1121 4th. 3-2t

WANTED—Used typewriter in good condition. 1107 17th street. 3-2t

WANTED—Experienced girl, over 16 years, at Liberty confectionary, 414 Chillicothe. 3-2t

WANTED—Woman to do washing. Apply 1532 7th. 3-2t

WANTED—To buy second hand furniture, stoves, clothes and shoes. Perry Stephens. Phone 2201-X. 2-7t

WANTED—Sewing. Phone 2312-L. 2-4t

WANTED—2 or more furnished housekeeping rooms by small family. Address J. L. Box 629. 2-3t

WANTED—A man to take entire charge of small ice plant in nearby town. Splendid opportunity for man who can make small investment. Write for particulars. Times—E. 2-3t

WANTED—Wash woman at 408 Chillicothe street, also girl to help with house work. Phone 1083-X. 2-2t

WANTED—Girl at once, family of two. 1022 Sixth street. Willard Hosey. 1tf

WANTED—Roomers and boarders. Hotel Norton. 440 2nd. Phone 639-X. Good rooms 50c to $1.00. Mrs. Rose Conlin, formerly of Star Restaurant will have charge of the dining room starting Tuesday, Dec. 2nd serving meals and short orders. 1tf

WANTED—Local and long distance moving with one ton truck. Phone Boston 61-J. Henry Mershon, 3725 Stanton. 1tf

WANTED—Carpets to clean, sewing and altering. Sanitary carpet cleaning Co. Phone 2100-X. 1-10t

WANTED—Two or three rooms for light house keeping. George Fletcher, 524 Second St., upstairs. 1-6t

WANTED—Two boarders. Phone 1239-X. 1-3t

WANTED—To buy clothing, stoves, furniture and shoes. Phone 409-L. W. D. Thomas. 1-7t

WANTED—Moving to do. Phone 651-L. Arthur's Grocery. 18tf

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WANTED—To buy furniture and stoves for best prices. Phone 100-L. Gempertine and Clark. 824 Chillicothe 18-tf

WANTED—To pay cash for Liberty Bonds. 710 Chillicothe St. 6tf

WANTED—Carpets to clean, look like new. Phone 2250-X. 15-tf

WANTED—Painting and paperhanging, union workmen, call N. E. Quipp 1074-L. 22-tf

WANTED—To buy second hand furniture, clothing and shoes. Phone 2245-Y. 18-tf

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Two Poland China brood sows. 12 Angora Nannies. E. A. Belyea, R. 4, Lucasville, Ohio. 3-3t

FOR SALE—New black satin basque dress never worn, size 38. Phone 1727-G. 3-1t

FOR SALE—Chevrolet roadster, in good condition, would consider trade on Hilltop property. Phone 677-L. 3-3t

FOR SALE—Brown coat also blue jacket, size 42, in good condition. 634 5th. 3-2t

FOR SALE—Aluminum, Wearever specials for the home and Christmas presents. Best aluminum made. Order early. Sold only by S. S. Guffey, 1414 Offnere street. Phone 924-Y. 3-1t

FOR SALE—Weed and Rid-o-Skid chains for passenger automobiles and trucks. Pfil Jacobs, Auto Tires and Supplies. 737 Third. 3-1t

FOR SALE—Remington rifle and typewriter. Phone 1022-L. 3-2t

FOR SALE—Canaries. Order early for Xmas. 25 singers will arrive Thursday, Wamser Pet Shop. Will arrive Friday. Persian cats and monkeys. Wamser Pet Shop, 411 Court street. Phone 1522-L. 3-2t

BUY A HOME

A beautiful five room cottage on Mound street near Grant, sanitary toilet, 45 ft. lot. House is VACANT. Can give possession at once. Will sell on terms.

Price **$3000**

Good four room cottage and bath on Sixth St., good lot and a bargain. Easy terms.

Price **$2550**

Three room cottage on Sixth street, 33 ft. lot. Easy terms.

Price **$1900**

Five room cottage on Third street near Offnere, $500 cash, balance as rent. Price ... **$2500**

Four room cottage on Seventh street, complete bath, $500 cash, balance easy terms. Price **$2600**

Handy five room bungalow on Campbell avenue, good lot, basement under entire house.

Price **$2800**

Beautiful four room cottage on Eighth street, corner lot, assessments paid, $500 cash, balance as rent. Price **$2700**

Four room cottage on Fifteenth street, water and gas, small payment down, balance as rent.

Price **$2000**

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Room 26 First National Bank Bldg.
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FOR SALE—My modern home, consists of 7 large rooms, complete bath, large closets, trunk room, pantry, built in china closet, fine cellar, sliding doors cabinet mantels, gas vestibule, large veranda, front and back, garage, cistern. Beautiful large lot, 40x180 feet. Hilltop on 18th street between Waller and Chillicothe. Inquire 1116 18th street or Phone 1092-L. 2-3t

FOR SALE—Gas heating stove, almost new. 1722 17th street. 2-3t

FOR SALE—Dodge sedan, good as new. Phone 159. Overland Garage. 2-3t

FOR SALE—Damaged corn. Ellsworth Noel. Phone 130-L. 2-3t

FOR SALE—Gas heating stove. 1807 Fifth street. Phone 1031-J. 2-2t

FOR SALE—Covered express wagon. Cheap. Phone 407 or 2153. 2-2t

FOR SALE—1917 Ford touring car, A-1 condition. Bargain if sold at once. 1918 Ford touring car, all new tires, car like new. Will sell with a guarantee. 1918 Buick Roadster with Cord tires, car in perfect condition. See Henry H. Hayerl, The Ford Man. Phone 291. 2-3t

FOR SALE—Studebaker six cylinder, 1917 model, good condition, good tires. Bargain if sold at once. Phone 493-L. 2-3t

FOR SALE—If you are looking for an investment, you can beat this. Good four room house, water and gas, fine big lot on hill. For price Phone 1888-L. 2-2t

FOR SALE—A whole reed natural color block baby carriage in good condition. Price $15. Apply at Jacob's Photographic Gallery, 313 Chillicothe street, or phone 417-L. 2-3t

FOR SALE—Smith and Nixon piano, practically new. 912 Gay St. Phone 2110. 1-3

FOR SALE—Beautiful dark brown coat, size 40, never been worn. 1710 Timmonds. 29tf

FOR SALE—Ford roadster in good condition, Pyle Bros. Garage Phone 715-L. 618 3rd St. 24-tf.

FOR SALE—Seven passenger Reo automobile. First class condition. Would consider trade for small car. Phone Boston 72-L. 24-tf

FOR SALE—Ohio's greatest land bargains, W. A. Richelberger, Land Specialist, Room 63 First National Bank Bldg. 22-tf.

FOR SALE—Five room cottage, bath room, not complete, front and back porch, cellar, pantry, closets, two cabinet mantels, electricity and gas, newly painted inside and out. Lot 50x200 ft. Shed and chicken park $1600. Nirvana. Phone Scioto-ville 78 X. 19tf

FOR SALE—Or trade Ford truck. Phone Boston 68-Y. 8tf

FOR SALE—Team 7 year old horses, good condition for work. Phone 280. 21tf

FOR SALE—4 room cottage down town, at a bargain. B. M. Donahoe. Phone 1276-Y. 28 tf

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Rooms for light housekeeping. Phone 2038-M. 3-1t

FOR RENT—Furnished light house keeping room upstairs, suitable for two girls. 618 5th street. 3-3t

FOR RENT—Apartment furnished for housekeeping conveniences. 1123 2nd. 31f

FOR RENT—Good garage. Phone 678 J. 3tf

FOR RENT—3 light house keeping rooms. 1022 Center. 3tf

FOR RENT—Furnished room upstairs use of phone and bath. 1228 Ninth. 2-2t

FOR RENT—Furnished room with conveniences, for gentlemen. 1012 Ninth. 1-3t

FOR RENT—Bedroom, private entrance. 418 Court. 1tf

FOR RENT—3 rooms. 1522 Jackson. 1-3t

FOR RENT—2 light house keeping rooms on car line. 1121 Kendall ave. 1-3t

FOR RENT—One bedroom with use of bath. 822 Chillicothe. 25-tf.

FOR RENT—Large nicely furnished front room for 1 or 2 gentlemen. Reference required. Phone 522. 26-tf

LOST

LOST—Bunch of keys on Fourth, Chillicothe or Gallia. Finder please leave at Selby Factory or 716 Washington. 3-3t

LOST—Bar pin set with diamonds, on Chillicothe or 2nd. Phone 1172-X. Reward. 3-2t

LOST—Child's neck piece between Vinton and Grant on McConnell. Return 1520 McConnell. Reward. 3-2t

LOST—$20 bill either on Hill or Robinson. Phone 176. Reward. 2-2t

LOST—Tan suit case on Gallia or Eighth. Phone 1467 or 1949-L. 2-2t

LOST—Wrist watch Sunday on 8th or 6th street. Phone 1233-X. 2-3t

LOST—Wednesday evening at Sun Theater, pocketbook containing about $18. Reward. 1317 Gallia or phone 1728-L. 28 tf

MISCELLANEOUS

UNCALLED FOR—Two phaetons and 2 sets harness will be sold if not called for immediately. Bridges Livery. 3-2t

NOTICE—Federal Land Bank loans money to Farmers on their lands for term of years at 5½ per cent interest. Annual payments pay off both principal and interest. Federal Farm Loan Bureau U. S. Treasury Dept. For information see Joseph W. Mitchell, Abstractor, 736 Seventh street, Portsmouth, Ohio. 2-6t

WHEN YOU NEED—A moving truck with two experienced men for local or suburban hauling, we have them. Phone 1219. Peel Storage Co. 28tf

NOTICE—Just what Lubricant Carbon Remover does for your motor, "Dead Shot" Liniment will do for your rheumatism. Don't wait. Get it at once at Brandel's Drug Store and 503 Gay street, Portsmouth, O. 30-8t

NOTICE PHONOGRAPHS REPAIRED
All makes. Phone 1137-M. Harry M. Steed 1132 8th. 22-tf

NOTICE—Typewriters cleaned, overhauled, repaired. 214 Chillicothe St. 12-tf

NOTICE—For city delivery. Phone 891. 3-3t

NOTICE—For prompt service place your printing orders with us. Webb Printing Co. 620 Offnere St. Phone 654-X. 19-tf

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Five room two story house, Rhodes avenue, New Boston, near Steel Plant office, newly papered and in good condition. Price—$2500. $200 first payment, balance same as rent. This is a bargain.

Five room two story house, Offnere street, near Second, water, gas, basement, newly painted and in good condition, would rent for $20.00 per month. Price—$1850. $300 first payment balance same as rent.

Four room cottage, Sixth street, complete bath, gas, hot and cold water. House has been built about 18 months. Price—$2500. Small payment down, balance same as rent.

Four room cottage, Fourth street, west of Offnere street, water, gas, cellar, cistern, two story barn with concrete floor, room for three machines. Price—$3400. Small payment down, balance same as rent.

Six room two story, Gallia street, near N. & W. Terminals, complete bath, gas, hot and cold water, newly papered and newly painted cabinet mantel, front and rear porches. Price—$4050. Small payment down, balance same as rent.

LOTS! LOTS!

We Have Them

One 60x144, Hill Top. Price—$2185.
One 30x136 (Corner), Hill Top. Price—$2000.
One 55 feet 8 inches Front, Twelfth street, near Waller. Price—$2000.
One 32x120 (Corner), Grandview Avenue, near car line. Price—$2050.
One 90x165 (Corner), Third street, West End of City (Buildings). Price—$6000.

CLARK & RICKEY

Phone 7

HALF BILLION DOLLAR INCREASE IN RECEIPTS OF THE TREASURY

WASHINGTON, Dec. 2—Increase of nearly a half billion dollars in receipts over 1918 was noted in the report today of the treasurer of the United States for the fiscal year 1919. The ordinary receipts were $4,647,603,852.46 and the ordinary disbursements $18,353,302,741.76, an increase of $6,398,830,475.73 as compared with those of the year previous. The disbursements on account of the Panama canal were $12,265,715.09, while the receipts were $6,777,046.55.

Gold in the treasury at the beginning of the year amounted to $2,749,954,097.00, the treasurer said. There was a noticeable increase monthly thereafter, until May 15, when the holdings attained a maximum of $2,769,959,633.48.

The general stock of money in the United States at the close of the fiscal year was $7,618,180,000, an increase of $777,710,700. The money in circulation increased in volume by $386,602,549, and amounted to a grand total of $3,766,020,073.

NEW BUSINESS BLOCK TO GO UP

The Monrad Engineering company has decided to erect a new business block on their property on Fourth street just west of Bend. It will be two stories in height and will contain an attractive front. "We expect to have work started on the building in the early Spring "Oscar Monrad, general manager of the company said today.

Sciotoville

The W. C. T. U. met in regular business session last evening at the home of Mrs. John Williams, Jackson St. A program consisting of readings and musical numbers was rendered. The next meeting will be held on Tuesday, December 30 at the home of Mrs. Theodore Shump of Main street.

Mrs. Horace Be'nat of Market street will entertain the Hesperian club at her home Friday evening.

Mrs. J. W. Hutchins, Mrs. A. M. Turner and Mrs. Winifred Bennet of Main street attended the musical given last evening at the home of Dr. and Mrs. P. J. Kline of Portsmouth, given for the pleasure of the Woman's Literary club. Mrs. Bennet was taken into the club as an active member at the last meeting. The musical was a most delightful affair, consisting of some of the best talented musicians in the city.

Mrs. R. E. McCormick of Center street was shopping in the city Tuesday.

After a delightful visit with her brother and sister-in-law Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hill of Detroit, Mrs. Al Bennett, of Fifth street has returned home.

Misses Rosella and Lucille Bolander of Fourth street went to Ironton Tuesday for a short visit with their brother and sister-in-law Mr. and Mrs. George Bolander.

Miss Mary Cremeans of Ashland is the guest of her grand parents Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Cremeans of Long Meadow.

On Wednesday, December 10, the Ladies Aid Society of the Methodist church will give a supper and fancy work sale in the church basement. The menu will consist of creamed chicken, mashed potatoes, gravy, celery, slaw, hot biscuits, butter, coffee, jelly, ice cream and cake.

Miss Marjorie Mackay left Tuesday evening for Columbus where she will resume her studies after spending her Thanksgiving vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Mackay.

Mr. and Mrs. Flody Simson chaperoned a bunch of young people to the city last evening where they attended a dance given at the Blue Triangle rooms Gallia street.

The Standard Bearers will meet Friday evening at the home of Miss Lorella Ash. All members are asked to be present.

The Winner class of the Porter Baptist church, Waits Station, were entertained last Thursday evening at the home of Miss Lois and Mr. Everett Ault. A short business session was held after which various games, congenial chat and Victrola music were enjoyed until a late hour. The place of the next meeting will be announced later. The guest list included, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Knore, Mrs. James Peach Misses Bessie Yoley, Edna and Charlotte Bolander, Beatrice and Lima Adams, Lonella Cobern and Lois Ault and Messrs. Alfred Boyer, Herman Wichle, Wilbur Robt Everett Ault, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Lumber, and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ault.

Services Thursday

Rev. B. Conley, New Boston, formerly of Olive Hill, Ky., will preach at the Terminals M. E. church Thursday evening, the services being started at this time with the intention of commencing revival meetings.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Murphy of Gallia street will leave this week on a visit to his brother Hugh Murphy, Orange, after Christmas.

Accepts Call To Vanceburg

IRONTON, O., Dec. 3.—Rev. F. M. Stambaugh and family, former pastor of the Central Christian church in this city, will leave today for Vanceburg Ky. where Rev. Stambaugh has accepted a call. Their household goods will be shipped today. Recently Rev. Stambaugh accepted a call to the First Christian church of Lancaster, Ohio, but being unable to obtain a house in which to live he was forced to accept the other pastorate.

BROTHERHOOD CHIEFS HOLD CONFERENCE

WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 3.—Chiefs of all the 14 railroad brotherhoods, it was said, were here for the meeting today at the American Federation of Labor headquarters to discuss the problems of the railroad employes. The wage standard was the principal subject for consideration.

Representatives of the four Independent brotherhoods were invited to meet with the 10 organizations affiliated with the American Federation of Labor. The independent brotherhoods already have under advisement an offer of time and one-half for overtime, with an eight hour day standard, and it is understood the federation brotherhoods have tentative offers of similar concessions from the railroad administration.

Bone In Hand Broken.

An X-ray taken of the left hand of James Starlin of the T. M. Tullerson Paper Box Company shows a small bone broken in the back of the hand. Starlin had his hand injured Tuesday when a grate bar fell on the member while he was fixing the grate under the boiler at the paper box plant. Dr. W. E. Gault attended Starlin.

WOMEN IN BUSINESS

Women's power in America is well illustrated by the thousands of women who entered almost every line of business to replace men who were drafted during the war. Health proved their strongest asset. Many women however, developed weak, nervous conditions and could not stand the strain of a business life. Such women should remember there is one tried and true remedy in Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, which for forty-five years has been restoring health and strength to the women of America.

Kicked By Auto

Richard Morton, son of Alex Morton, of 1533 Mound street, is suffering with a broken bone in his right hand, the result of his attempting to crank an automobile several days ago. An X-Ray taken of the hand showed a small bone fractured.

Boys' Wrist Broken.

William Simpson, 14 year old son of A. F. Simpson of 721 Second street was the victim of a Ford "kick" Tuesday, his right wrist being broken when it was struck with the crank of the machine when he attempted to start the engine.

Bone Broken

Maynard O'Bryan of 1133 Eleventh street, is nursing an injured left hand, the member being caught between two shoe racks at the Irving Drew shoe factory several days ago. An X-Ray taken by Fowler shows a small bone in the hand broken.

PRESIDENT WILL FIRST CONFER WITH CONGRESSMEN

WASHINGTON, Dec. 3—President Wilson will not begin preparation of his special message to congress on the railroad situation until Federal Director General Hines has conferred with Senator Cummins and Representative Esch, chairmen of the senate and house interstate commerce committees on the pending railroad bills, it was said today at the White House. It was intimated that the status of the legislation might be such that the president would not regard it as necessary to address congress on the subject. Leaders in congress are determined to press the bills, but they have expressed doubt that their enactment could be completed before the Christmas holidays.

Each of the measures provides for the return of the roads to private operation within a specified time, but they are different in other respects particularly as to the method of dealing with strikes and lock-outs and these differences will have to be composed in conference.

In view of the president's statement to congress yesterday that he expected to treat the railroad question in a separate message, there has been speculation in official and railroad circles as to whether he intended to adhere to his previously announced plan to return the roads to private operation by January 1.

Some officials and railroad men are of the personal opinion that the president may await action of congress on the pending legislation. Those at the White House, refuse, however, to comment.

WITH THE SICK

Charles Higgins, 3035 Gallia street, has returned from Cincinnati, where he went to consult specialists at the University of Cincinnati about his health.

Friends of Mrs. William Coil of Banner, Wy., have received word that her daughter Miss Florida Coil continues seriously ill. She will probably have to enter a hospital for an operation.

River News

The Ohio river registered 33.5 feet at 7 A. M. and is falling.

The Tacoma is due up this afternoon for Charleston.

Chris Green is due up Thursday morning for Huntington, due down Thursday evening for Cincinnati.

Membership Drive

The Local Aerie of Eagles at their meeting Thursday night will lay plans for a membership drive which they will prosecute with vigor during the winter months.

The new issue of Hydraulic Steel preferred is surrounded by all the safeguards of a high-class industrial security, and carries attractive "rights." Non-taxable in Ohio.

$203 per $100—Net Tangible

For every hundred dollars invested in the new Hydraulic Steel Preferred, there are net tangible assets of more than twice that amount—which figure includes, of course, nothing whatever for patents or goodwill.

A balance sheet prepared by Messrs. Ernst & Ernst as of June 30, 1919, adjusted to show the effect of transactions connected with the present financing, establishes the assets-figure of $203 per share of this issue. Total net tangible assets are shown as $12,221,607.

The new issue is offered at par ($100) and accrued dividends. Full information will be sent on request.

Some Pertinent Facts

The Hydraulic Pressed Steel Company was organized in 1906, has never passed a dividend, and has paid 1350% on the original investment in common stock dividends.

It produces its own steel, operating open hearth furnaces, rolling mills, bar mills and sheet mills, employing about 3,400 men.

Sales have grown from $93,000 in 1907 to $19,02.,960 for year ending June 30, 1919.

Unfilled orders now on the books, at prices well above those on contracts on which deliveries are now being made, total over $7,000,000, the highest in the company's history.

Orders will be accepted and delivery made by your own banker

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MADDY CASE GOES TO THE JURY

At 1:45 o'clock the Maddy case went to the jury and the fate of the defendant rests in its hands.

At five o'clock yesterday afternoon when common pleas court adjourned for the day, Attorney B. F. Kimble had concluded his address to the jury in behalf of Thomas Maddy, Harden township farmer, on trial for second degree murder for the killing of T. E. Thompson on August 18, last. Attorney Kimble spoke for a little more than an hour and he made a strong plea for the accused man. The court room was packed with a throng of spectators interested in the proceedings throughout the day and again this morning the lobby was filled with persons anxious to hear the closing arguments of Judge Blair for the defendant and Prosecutor Sheppard on behalf of the state, which followed the convening of court this morning. Then will come the charge of the court and it is expected that the case will get to the jury shortly before the noon hour.

The defense played its trump cards yesterday when Thomas Maddy, the accused, and his wife, Abagail, the only eye witnesses to the shooting, took the witness stand and explained the events leading up to the trouble which resulted in Maddy shooting Thompson twice, one of which caused the latter's death.

Mrs. Maddy related of her husband having altercations with Thompson on different occasions just previous to the tragedy. She said she and her husband were working in the tobacco field on the hill on the morning of August 18 when she observed Thompson coming through the field toward them. He appeared to be angry and stopped in front of her husband, saying something about the worms eating the tobacco up and declaring they must do more work. "He was cursing us," said the witness and I ordered him to leave after Tom had told him that we were doing all we could do and I then threw a rock at him as he declared with an oath that he'd go when he got ready. Thompson caught the rock and hurled it back at me viciously and then made a move toward his hip pocket as to draw a gun saying, 'I'll kill all of you.' Two shots then rang out and Thompson started walking away. We ran home as fast as we could go as we thought Thompson was gone after his hired hands to get us."

Defendant Goes On The Stand

The defendant testified that he took the gun to the field with him because Thompson had made threats against him and that he feared him. He said he shot because he thought Thompson was about to kill his wife. He denied saying that after he shot Thompson in the arm he lost his head and shot him again. He asserted that he was unaware that he had shot Thompson twice until an hour or so later. Although they were grilled on cross examination by Prosecutor Sheppard both Maddy and his wife remained unshaken in their stories.

The reputation of the defendant as a quiet and peaceable man was fully established through the calling of a number of prominent citizens of that section, including F. M. Powell, J. E. Powell, Peter Bending, Alfred Browning, Frank McIntyre, Frank Moore, Chantile Rocky Newman, T. W. Tarpley, Albert Adkins, Wesley Harris, Joe Marrs, Harrison White, Larry White, John Bradney, Squire J. N. Noles, William Ross. These same witnesses testified that the opposite was true of the victim of the tragedy all of whom said that he was of a quarrelsome disposition, and frequently in trouble. Practically all of these witnesses had known Thompson nearly all his life time and several were his former neighbors.

Several witnesses, including Conrad Ross, Joseph M. Walsh, William Freeman, A. B. Jones, John F. Taylor and L. Taylor were called by the state in rebuttal and they testified that in their opinion the reputation of Thompson for peace and quiet, was good, although the latter said on cross examination that reports he had heard concerning Thompson in that respect were unfavorable.

The Markets

NEW YORK STOCKS

NEW YORK, Dec. 3.—Signs of renewed public interest were manifested by various issues at the opening of today's stock market. Gains of 1 to 2 points were made by rails, steels, coppers, oils, shippings, equipments and specialties. General Motors was again the most conspicuous feature at an advance of 4 points. Aside from Delaware and Hudson, which showed renewed weakness, the market seemed disposed to disregard the coal strike situation and further demoralization in the foreign exchange market.

Prices forged steadily ahead on the light trading of the morning, the scarcity of offerings contributing to the further advance. Motors, oils, shippings and coppers comprised the chief features of strength. Tobacco, food and leather issues joined the movement later.

The trend of today's dull and restricted stock market was upward, despite the threatened coal shortage and further collapse of foreign exchange. Sales approximated 850,000 shares.

The closing was firm.

New York Stock List, last sale.
American Beet Sugar 92⅝.
American Can 51.
American Car and Foundry 135.
American Locomotive 93.
American Smelting and Refining 62⅝.
American Sumatra Tobacco 88 5-8.
American T. and T. 99 3-8.
Anaconda Copper 57 3-8.
Atchinson 85.
Baldwin Locomotive 108 3-8.
Baltimore and Ohio 32 3-4.
Bethlehem Steel B 91⅞.
Central Leather 84⅞.
Chesapeake and Ohio 57.
Chicago Mil. and St. Paul 37⅞.
Corn Products 80⅞.
Crucible Steel 202.
General Motors 333⅞.
Great Northern Ore Ctfs. 35.
Goodrich Company 79.
Inter Mer. Mar. preferred 102 5-8.
International Paper 60⅞.
Kennecott Copper 28⅞.
Mexican Petroleum 195.
New York Central 69⅞.
Norfolk and Western 96⅞.
Northern Pacific 81½.
Ohio Cities Gas 40.
Pennsylvania 41⅞.
Reading 76.
Republic Iron and Steel 103⅞.
Sinclair Oil and Refining 46⅞.
Southern Pacific 94 5-8.
Southern Railway 32 5-8.
Studebaker Corporation 106 5-8.
Texas Company 285
Tobacco Products 81.
Union Pacific 124 1-8.
United States Steel 102⅞.
United States Rubber 122.
Utah Copper 72.
Westinghouse Electric 52⅞.
Willys-Overland 29⅞.

CLOSING PRICES OF OHIO STOCK

COLUMBUS, Dec. 3.—Cities Service common 4.03 to 4.15; Do preferred 74⅞ to 75⅞; Ohio Gas 48, last sale.

CHICAGO GRAIN AND PROVISIONS

CHICAGO

CHICAGO, Dec. 3.—Free selling depressed the corn market today after an upturn in values at the opening. Opening prices, which ranged from the same as yesterday's finish to 3c higher, with with December 1.41½ to 1.43½ and May 1.31½ to 1.35⅞, were followed by a setback all around to well under the previous close.

The close was nervous, 1 1-8 cents to three cents net lower, with December at 1.25⅞ to 1.40 and May 1.32⅞ to 1.33.

Oats were ruled by the action of corn. After opening unchanged to ¾ higher, including May at 80c to 80¼, the market underwent a moderate sag.

Provisions weakened with grain. Trade was light.

In the later trading, pork and ribs were firmer, but on the bulges there was selling from houses with stock yard connections.

TOLEDO GRAIN

TOLEDO, Dec. 3.—Corn cash 1.51; oats cash 82; barley cash 1.48; rye No. 2, cash 1.53; clover seed, prime, cash 31.25; December 30.97½; January 30.50; February 30.07½; March 30.76.

Alsike, prime, cash and December 31.27½; March 30.02½.

Timothy, prime, cash (1917 & 1918) 5.40; cash (1919) 5.62½; December 5.62½ March 5.80; April 5.77½.

CHICAGO PROVISIONS

CHICAGO, Dec. 3.—(Closing) Corn—December 1.39¾; January 1.35½.
Oats—December 76¾; May 78⅞.
Pork—January 35.15; May 34.05.
Lard—January 23.00; May 23.65.
Ribs—January 18.80; May 18.85.

CINCINNATI GRAIN

CINCINNATI, Dec. 3.—Wheat 2.36 @ 2.44.
Barley 1.43 @ 1.45.
Potatoes Red River early Ohio's 8.25 @ 8.50 per cwt.
Corn shelled, irregular; ear 1.55 @ 1.56.
Oats steady 82 @ 85.
Rye steady 1.48 @ 1.50.
Hay steady 27.00 @ 31.00.

LIVE STOCK MARKETS

CHICAGO

CHICAGO, Dec. 3.—Hogs—Receipts 25,00; weak; bulk 14.10 @ 14.50; top 14.60; heavy 14.10 @ 14.50; medium 14.15 @ 14.60; light 14.00 @ 14.50; light lights 13.50 @ 14.15; heavy packing sows, smooth 13.50 @ 13.90; packing sows, rough, 12.25 @ 13.50; pigs 13.00 @ 13.75.

Cattle—Receipts 18,000; steady; beef steers, medium and heavy, choice and prime, 18.50 @ 20.75; medium and good 11.00 @ 18.50; common 8.75 @ 11.00; light, good and choice, 14.00 @ 20.25; common and medium 7.50 @ 14.00; butcher cattle, heifers, 6.40 @ 15.00; cows 6.25 @ 13.50; canners and cutters 5.25 @ 12.75; stocker steers 6.00 @ 10.75; western range steers 7.50 @ 15.60; cows and heifers 6.50 @ 12.50.

Sheep—Receipts 15,000; strong, lambs 14.50 @ 16.40; culls and common 10.00 @ 14.00; ewes, medium gode and choice, 7.75 @ 9.50; culls and comon 4.25 @ 7.50; breeding 7.00 @ 11.25.

CINCINNATI

CINCINNATI, Dec. 3.—Hogs—Receipts 10,000; steady to 25c higher; selected heavy shippers 14.00; good to choice packers and butchers 14.00; medium 14.00; stags 8.50 @ 9.50; common to choice 9.00 @ 12.50; light shippers 13.75 @ 14.00; pigs, 110 lbs. and less, 11.00 @ 13.50.

Cattle—Receipts 600; strong; shippers 10.50 @ 15.00; butchers steers, extra 11.50 @ 12.50; good to choice 10.50 @ 11.50; common to fair 6.50 @ 10.00; heifers, extra 12.00 @ 13.00; god to choice 9.50 @ 12.00; common to fair 6.00 @ 9.00; cows, extra 9.50 @ 10.50; good to choice 7.50 @ 9.50; common to fair 5.50 @ 7.00; calves steady; extra 18.75 @ 19.00; fair to good 14.00 @ 18.50; common and large 6.00 @ 13.00.

Sheep—Receipts 500; strong; good to choice 7.00 @ 7.50; fair to good 6.00 @ 7.00; common to fair 3.00 @ 5.00. Lambs, strong; good to choice 14.50 to 15.00; fair to good 11.00 @ 14.50; common to fair 8.00 @ 11.00.

CLEVELAND

CLEVELAND, Dec. 3.—Cattle—Receipts 200; steady.

Calves—Receipts 200; steady; good to choice veal calves 15.00 @ 20.00.

Sheep and lambs—Receipts 2,000; 25c higher; god to choice lambs 15.25 @ 15.75; fair to good 10.00 @ 13.00; good to choice sheep 6.50 @ 8.50; fair to good 4.00 @ 5.00.

Hogs—Receipts 2,500; 50c higher; yorkers, mixed heavies, mediums, pigs and light, 14.65; roughs 12.75; stags 10.00.

KANSAS CITY

KANSAS CITY, Dec. 3.—Hogs—Receipts 11,000; higher; weak; bulk 14.50 @ 14.90; heavies 14.50 @ 15.00; mediums 14.70 @ 15.00; lights 14.50 @ 15.00; light lights 14.25 @ 14.85; packing sows 13.75 @ 14.40; pigs 11.00 @ 12.75.

Cattle—Receipts 12,000; strong; heavy beef steers choice prime, 17.25 @ 18.35; medium and good 13.25 @ 17.35; common 10.75 @ 13.25; light, good and choice, 13.75 @ 18.35; common and medium 8.50 @ 13.75; butcher cattle heifers 6.75 @ 14.25; cows 6.65 @ 12.50 canners and cutters 5.40 @ 6.65; veal calves 13.00 @ 15.75; feeder steers 8.00 @ 13.50; stocker steers 6.00 @ 10.50.

Sheep—Receipts 6,000; higher; lambs 14.50 @ 19.50; culls and common 9.50 @ 14.25; yearling wethers 11.00 @ 12.75; ewes 6.50 @ 9.00; cull and common 3.25 @ 6.25; breeding ewes 7.50 @ 11.50; feeder lambs 11.00 @ 13.75.

PRODUCE MARKETS

CHICAGO

CHICAGO, Dec. 3.—Butter, firm; creamery 57 @ 72.

Eggs—Receipts 553 cases; unchanged.

Poultry—Live, higher; springs 20; fowls 16 @ 26; turkeys 30c.

CLEVELAND

CLEVELAND, Dec. 3.—Butter creamery in tubs, extra 76½ @ 77; extra firsts 75½ @ 76; firsts 71½ @ 75; seconds 70 @ 71; packing stock 49 @ 53. Eggs, fresh gathered northern extras, 78; firsts in new cases 76; old cases 75.

Rabbits $3.50 to $4.00 per dozen.

SUGAR

NEW YORK Dec. 3.—Raw sugar, steady; centrifugal 7.28; fine granulated 9.00.

GASOLINE AND ALCOHOL

CINCINNATI, Dec. 3.—Alcohol denatured, 65; gasoline, tank wagon, 25½; 70 per cent, 35.

LIBERTY BONDS

NEW YORK, Dec. 3.—Prices of liberty bonds at 2:55 p. m. today were: 3½'s 99.70; first 4's 93.70; second 4's 91.96; first 4¼'s 94.00; second 4¼'s 92.08; third 4¼'s 94.06; fourth 4¼'s 92.18; victory 3¾'s 99.00; victory 4¾'s 99.02.

MONEY

NEW YORK, Dec. 3.—Call money easy; high 6; low 5½; ruling rate 6; closing bid 5½; offered at 6; last loan 5½. Bank acceptances 4 5-8.

COTTON

NEW YORK, Dec. 3.—Coton futures closed steady December 39.25; January 39.72; March 34.61; May 32.75; July 1.55.

NEW YORK Dec. 3.—Spot cotton steady; middling 39.75.

COFFEE

NEW YORK, Dec. 3.—Coffee—Rio, No. 7, 15¾; futures steady; January 14.95; May 15.20.

THOMAS TO DIRECT LABOR OF NATIONS

Albert Thomas.

At the recent international labor conference in Washington Albert Thomas, the French labor leader, was chosen director general of the international labor office by the governing body. Upon him will rest the responsibility of carrying out many of the recommendations made at the conference. His headquarters will be at the seat of the league of nations.

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Night after night Mrs. Emma Miller, of 1020 Eleventh street Portsmouth, said she tossed and rolled about the bed, unable to sleep. After several nights of this, Mrs. Miller would become utterly exhausted. Then, she said, she would be able to sleep but it was not a restful sleep. She felt tired and worn out the next morning just the same.

"My nerves were all out of order." Mrs. Miller said "I couldn't sleep and as a result I became weakened and run down. I had bursting headaches and could hardly do my house work.

"My digestion was very poor, too.

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OBITUARY

Mrs. Rettie Lynd Funeral

"Funeral services for the late Mrs. Rettie E. Lynd, wife of John S. Lynd were held this afternoon in the chapel of the Rice & Rice undertaking establishment and were very largely attended by sympathetic friends. The floral tributes were so large and numerous that it was necessary to take them to the cemetery on an auto truck. Rev. W. L. Dexter, pastor of the Methodist church, was the officiating clergyman and ministered comfort to the sorrowing relatives and neighbors. The pallbearers were H. M. Johns, C. E. Mouser, Vic Rathbun, David M. Davies, John W. Hatchett and J. C. C. Russell.

"Rock of Ages" was sung by the following quartet: Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Reinhard, H. C. Dannenbrink and Mrs. George Meldrim. Mrs. J. C. C. Russell, lady commander of Hanford Review, No. 23, W. B. A. of the Maccabees, presided at the lodge ritual, which was impressively rendered. Interment was in the family plot in Hanford cemetery."—Hanford (Cal.) Sentinel.

Mrs. Lynd was a sister of Mrs. J. B. Bennett of Sciotoville and Mrs. Addison Fullerton of Minford.

Thomas Davisson Funeral

The funeral of Thomas Davisson well known farmer of near Franklin Furnace who died Monday night after an extended illness will be held this afternoon at two o'clock from the Ohio Baptist church near Hanging Rock. Burial will be made in Davisson cemetery under the direction of Binghaman and Jones undertakers of Ironton.

In Memoriam

"God doeth all things wisely and well." He has deemed it best in His great wisdom, to call home Harry Bridwell, who departed this life Tuesday, November 25th.

The deceased was a young man possessing many excellent qualities, as a most dutiful son, a loving husband, and kind father, a pleasant, cheerful disposition, thus winning for himself friends with all with whom he came in contact.

Dear parents and wife, by this dispensation of God's Holy will, your home is made desolate; this dark season of sorrow and distress, you wonder and cannot understand the great mystery of God's works but we shall all know soon, for our longest time is short. Your loved one gave evidences of a true Christian spirit; try to realize that your loss is heaven's gain and that "He who giveth and taketh, never makes a mistake," though He has only called His loved one home, there to rest free from all pain and sickness. He is not, for the Lord has taken him, let us so live that when the summons comes to us we may again meet our loved one, his face shining with the glory of God. Sweet peace He will give unto you.

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Mrs. Mary E. Appel

At seven o'clock on Monday morning December 2nd death stilled the generous and loving heart of Mrs. Mary E. Appel, widow of the late Theodore Appel at the home of Joseph Appel in Lucasville. While the sun had already set on her allotted three score and ten years yet she lingered in the twilight with those she loved and to whom she leaves a most precious memory indeed.

She was the daughter of Joseph Brant familiarly known in his later life as "Uncle Joe" and Mary Vinnert (Brant) and was born on the Olley Johnson farm about two miles north of Lucasville, her mother dying within two weeks thereafter. Robert her only brother died of typhoid fever at the age of 19. Her father later married Susan Wilson. Of this union came eight half-brothers and sisters: Mrs. Katherine Williams, deceased, George W. Brant, Supply Oklahoma, William Brant Chillicothe, Mo., David Brant Lucasville, Thomas Brant Heddam Kansas, Mrs. Sarah Winter, deceased, Mrs. E. M. Yeager and Joseph Brant of Lucasville. Her father died in October 1893.

She was married to Charles Theodore Appel, commonly known as 'Dore' Appel August 20, 1863. To them were born seven sons, and two daughters who with thirteen grand-children all survive. The sons are Joseph H. Lucasville; George W., Clifford; James B., Lucasville; Frank, Portsmouth; David, George P. O., Charles T., Bannon Farm and Edgar B., Portsmouth. The daughters are Mrs. T. C. Beatty, Portsmouth and Louise Appel at home.

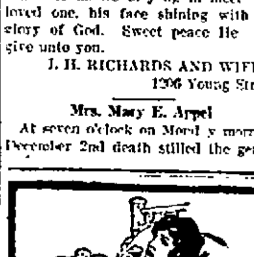
For fourteen years previous to her husband's death which occurred in 1913, the family home was at Clifford. In September of that year the mother and Louise moved to Grant street, Portsmouth, where they lived in most beautiful companionship. During the past several months they have visited at the homes of her sons and daughter Margaret, and it was during this period that the final summons came.

The mother instinct was the dominant characteristic of her being. She loved her own with a devotion that that took no notice of tired hands or weary feet, but would toil upward in the night to please the most trivial fancy of her children. The same love went out in sympathy and helpfulness to neighbors and friends. She was unusually guarded in every word, and always ready to throw the mantel of charity around the erring. With her, God was love, and her reverence was a deep and silent current. In church membership she was a Methodist and upon moving to the city her membership was transferred from the Lucasville M. E. church to Trinity.

The funeral services will be held from the residence of her son Joseph H. Appel at Lucasville on Thursday afternoon Dec. 4 at 2 o'clock. Burial will take place in the Lucasville cemetery.

Burial At Quincy

Thomas Harris arrived here to take charge of the body of Joseph Harris who died last Saturday afternoon at Hempstead Hospital. The body was taken to Quincy, Ky., where the funeral was held from the home of Joseph Harris grandfather of the deceased. The funeral was held at one o'clock today. Burial was made in Zornes cemetery at Quincy.



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D'ANNUNZIO AIMS AT ANNEXATION OF THE WHOLE ADRIATIC LITTORAL

There is trouble brewing in the Balkans. An old, familiar phrase, but one that once more is applicable to the news. Jugoslavia is reported to have 400,000 well-armed troops ready to repel D'Annunzio's promised raid into Dalmatia. The Italian insurgent master of Fiume is said to aim at the annexation of the whole Adriatic littoral, and some of his supporters would overthrow the kingdom of Italy itself, setting up a republic with the poet-soldier at its head. The numbers on the map show the different areas assigned to the control of the principal allied powers by the Paris conference. The Italian fleet was given Area 1, the American squadron Area 2, the French Area 3, including the Cattaro harbor, and the British Area 4.

The Seats of the Mighty.

A certain captain went calling upon the village belle. The old man kept a very vicious housedog, and upon the occasion of the officer's call the dog was untied. When the fearsome canine had finished with the captain the seat of the latter's trousers was missing. His brother officers, joshing him about his predicament, asked if the girl was worth risking his anatomy in that fashion. The captain replied: "Maybe not, but I have always been willing to give up my seat to any lady!"—Judge.

Prettiness.

Many persons erroneously suppose that they have found beauty when they have taken pleasure in what is merely pretty, and this is unfortunate, for it makes it necessary to differentiate between what is pretty and what is beautiful. To the lover of prettiness, love is a little frosted cake, joy a luscious bon bon, sorrow a dose of bitter medicine. Prettiness is ephemeral. But beauty is powerful and memorable.—M. Wilkinson.

Guatemalan Salt.

Guatemala's salt industry, which began soon after the Spanish conquest, now produces nearly 2,000,000 pounds a year.

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Mrs. Othelia G. C. Beal.

Mrs. Othelia G. C. Beal is a judge in Seattle. She comes from a family of lawyers and her husband is also a lawyer. Mrs. Beal was admitted to the bar before her marriage, but she took no part in public life until her brother, a judge of a justice court, was called into army service in the spring of 1917. Mrs. Beal volunteered to take his place for the unexpired term and when the term was ended she was elected to the place.

Etiquette of Walking.

When in the street, especially in daytime, a lady is not supposed to take a gentleman's arm, unless she is infirm or elderly, though she may properly do so at night. When walking with two ladies a gentleman may walk on the outside, or the inside, or, rather, the side from which he can best guard his companion or companions from obstacles or danger. It is not good form to take a lady's arm, unless to assist her in some way.

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Post the name of Marcia Warren!

A man's got to have a wife or a daughter to know all that that means.

Geraldine Farrar and Lou Tellegen, as Marcia and the Grand Duke Michael, renew their childhood acquaintance, when Marcia, re-enacting to the life the operatic triumph of the real Geraldine Farrar, thrills Petrograd by singing the Mirror Song from Thais—and thrills the Duke with a typical American greeting—

Hello, Mike!

Then the War—then the storm of an Empire gone mad—and through the black chaos of bread lines and machine guns, the wit of an American girl and the traditional courage of an aristocrat pitted against the excesses of the revolution!

You'll have to pinch yourself to know you're not in Russia!

Other New Goldwyn Releases:

Tom Moore in "Lord and Lady Algy"
Rex Beach's "The Girl from Outside"
Madge Kennedy in "Strictly Confidential"
Pauline Frederick in "Bonds of Love"
Rex Beach's "The Silver Horde"
Geraldine Farrar in "Flame of the Desert"
Goldwyn Bray Animated Cartoons

When Is Your Favorite Theatre Going To Show This Big Photoplay ?

GOLDWYN MOTION PICTVRES

matinee and night holds the record for attendance. There is scarcely a theatre goer in this community who cannot recall some time or other when this favorite old comedy with music, has not 'stood them up' in a local playhouse. Particularly true is this of matinee performances, for "Peck's Bad Boy" is without an equal for the children.

The old favorite has not been seen in this locality for some time. Seat sale tomorrow. Matinee for school children 3:30.

Inspectors Visit City

Child labor law inspectors have been in the city several days inspecting local shops and stores. They found several boys and girls at work who were not 16 years old and ordered their dismissal at once.

Coal and gas heaters—Distel's tf

To Retain Job

Edward Conwell, who is employed in the Whitaker-Glessner plant, has given up baseball professionally and will become a member of the Steel Plant team.

BILLIE BURKE
"Good Gracious, Annabelle"
A Paramount Picture

TEMPLE TONIGHT
FAMILY TOMORROW
BILLIE BURKE IN
"GOOD GRACIOUS ANNABELLE"

You would never have thought she was married. In fact, she didn't know it herself until—! But finding out is the most thrilling thing you ever saw. See for yourself!

ALSO SHOWING

"Elmo, The Mighty"

Admission 10 cents and 15 cents

ASPIRIN

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You want genuine Aspirin—the Aspirin prescribed by physicians for nineteen years. The name "Bayer" means the true, world-famous Aspirin, proved safe by millions of people.

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I've a notion to throttle you
BILLIE BURKE in "Good Gracious Annabelle."
A Paramount Picture

HERE'S A HOW D'YE DO! GIRL IS KIDNAPED AND WEDDED TO A HERMIT!

Billie Burke Is Heroine of New Photoplay, "Good Gracious, Annabelle!"

At The Temple Tonight and Family Tomorrow

When a sixteen year old girl is kidnaped by a man she neither knows nor cares for and is forced to marry him and thereafter leaves her husband without even knowing his name, it is to be expected that interesting developments will occur. This is amply proved by the story of "Good Gracious, Annabelle!" in which Billie Burke, the dainty Paramount star, will appear at the Temple theatre tonight and The Family tomorrow.

The story has a Western atmosphere which later changes to the East whither Annabelle Leigh, the heroine goes and subsequently after a lapse of seven years, is followed by her husband, a hermit miner, who has become enormously wealthy, with the result that they meet in peculiar circumstances. When their relationship is established, they find happiness in their mutual love.

An exciting chapter of Elmo, the Mighty, will complete the bill.

The Brilliant Universal Star

ORA CAREW in
"LOOT"

When Arthur Somers Roche wrote "LOOT" for the Saturday Evening Post, he never realized that such a simply amazing film could be made of his wonderful story. Yet it's here, ready for your entertainment and if you've read the story so much the better, if not you're going to get "some thrill" Take the folks to see it and get a great big evening's entertainment.

A GREAT FEATURE

Come See This Picture

Arthur Somers Roche's Thrilling Saturday Evening Post Story "Loot", A Big Spectacular Production Featuring Ora Carew at the Exhibit Tonight and Thursday.

An exciting mystery dealing with the workings of a powerful band of criminals in New York is unfolded in "Loot", the new Universal feature which will open a two day engagement at the Exhibit Theatre tonight. There is not a dull moment in this mystery melodrama, adapted for the screen from the famous Saturday Evening Post story by Arthur Somers Roche and it introduces two new stars in the form of Ora Carew and Darrel Foss. The excellent work of Miss Carew in the role of Morn Light, star of New York's Follies will win her a place in the heart of every spectator. Miss Carew has the faculty of injecting her own personality into every action on the screen. In this picture you will see a sensational robbery of a jewelry store which made even blase old New York gasp. Traffic on the main streets of one of this country's biggest cities was held up for hours in order to film this sensational robbery. Everybody's going to see this film. Don't you be the one to miss it. William Duncan in another thrilling installment of "Smashing Barriers" will be on the program tonight also.

THE MOVIES

"Back to God's Country," the Picture Everybody is Talking About, Will be Shown at the Columbia For The Last Time Tonight.

If you haven't seen "Back to God's Country" the big sensational picture at the Columbia, don't fail to see it tonight.

Everybody is talking about this picture and hundreds have been turned away the past two days.

This picture is taken from James Oliver Curwood's story "Wapi the Walrus," which ran through Good Housekeeping Magazine. The scenes were taken during the winter in Alaska and many wild animals are shown throughout the story.

Remember tonight is positively the last chance to see this great picture in Portsmouth. Shows will start promptly at six, seven-thirty and nine o'clock and don't let anything stop you from seeing it.

WHOLE FAMILIES FREED FROM COLDS

Half a century breaking colds is behind Dr. King's New Discovery.

edy in perfect safety and confident of beneficial results.

FROM the little tots to grandma every one in the family can use this fifty-years-the-standard remedy. Incessant coughing, disagreeable grippe, stubborn cold promptly checked, the phlegm dissipated, the congestion loosened.

Same high quality today as always. Dr. King's New Discovery lives up to its time-tested reputation. 60c and $1.20 a bottle.

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are sick headaches, biliousness, nervousness, sallow skin, waste matter in the body. Correct this undermining evil with Dr. King's New Life Pills. Feel good every day. Keep the system cleansed. 25c a bottle.

vaudeville offerings ever seen at the Sun. Also on the vaudeville program ending at the second show tonight Richards and Lawrence, in a sparkling gem of song, dance and dialogue and they, too have been great favorites. Margaret Ryan ties vie with the headliners for first honors of applause and appreciation. She is a singing comedienne. Miss Ryan, who is exceptionally pretty is a genuine little artist. She wears stunning gowns.

There is a complete change of vaudeville at the Sun at the matinee tomorrow.

"Peck's Bad Boy"

In hundreds of cities in this country, "Peck's Bad Boy," which is billed for the Sun next Friday December 5

Adolph Zukor Presents
ELSIE FERGUSON
"A Society Exile"
An ARTCRAFT Picture

New Elsie Ferguson Picture Drama of High Society Life

Artcraft Star is a Talented American Heiress in Society Exile

One of the most faithful portrayals of English society life either on the stage or screen is shown in Elsie's Ferguson's newest Artcraft picture, "A Society Exile," which is coming to the Lyric Theatre today and tomorrow. This photoplay does not agree with the false theory held by some Americans that all British Noblemen are idlers and fortune-seekers. Only one person in the picture is of this type, the penniless Lord Bissett, who sues desperately for the hand of Nora Shard, the charming young American heiress which is played by Miss Ferguson. Foiled in his play to gain control of the girl's millions he plots to disgrace her, and succeeds so well that she is hooted throughout England as the mistress of another man and is finally practically banished from the island. Heartbroken she takes up residence in Venice under another name, and in the beautiful Italian city finally finds happiness and her vindication. "A Society Exile," which was adapted from the play "We Can't Be as Bad as All That," by Henry Arthur Jones, is considered Miss Ferguson's most powerful starring vehicle to date. It was directed by George Fitzmaurice, and the cast supporting Miss Ferguson is an exceptionally strong one.

A new Mack Sennett comedy, "The Foolish Age", is an added attraction.

THEATRICAL

At The Sun

Grace, Ben and Wallace—standard headliners of the big time conclude their engagement as the featured vaudeville act for the first half of this week at the Sun at the matinee this afternoon and the two shows tonight. Grace, Ben and Wallace have scored a notable success upon every presentation of their "Saxophone Flirtations" one of the most novel and delightful

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Take Cascarets and enjoy the nicest, gentlest laxative-cathartic you ever experienced. Cascarets never gripe, sicken or cause inconvenience. They work while you sleep. A box of Cascarets costs so little, too.

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"Yankie Doodle in Berlin", Mack Sennett Super-Comedy comes to Lyric Friday and Saturday

"Yankee Doodle" is the world's greatest funny picture—it is farce, frolic, excitement, foolishness from start to finish—five reels of side-splitting fun—it has made millions laugh. Ben Turpin, Ford Sterling, Marie Prevost, and Bothwell Brown are the principal fun makers, but there are many others. When you remember that Mack Sennett himself personally directed this comedy you know it is a real one.

In addition to the comedy there is a Beauty review showing all the famous Mack Sennett girls, the stunts they go through are wonderful, and their costumes are beautiful, dazzling, daring.

SHILOH
SINCE 1870
30 DROPS STOPS COUGHS

Katherine MacDonald in New Story Here Soon

"The Thunderbolt," starring Katherine MacDonald, will be seen at the Lyric Theatre next Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday. This is the first picture of this star to be released through the First National Exhibitors' Circuit. It tells the story of a girl forced into a loveless marriage with her most bitter enemy. Critics have praised it highly wherever it has been shown and it will surely prove to be one of the greatest pictures of the year. Thomas Meigham plays the opposite lead.

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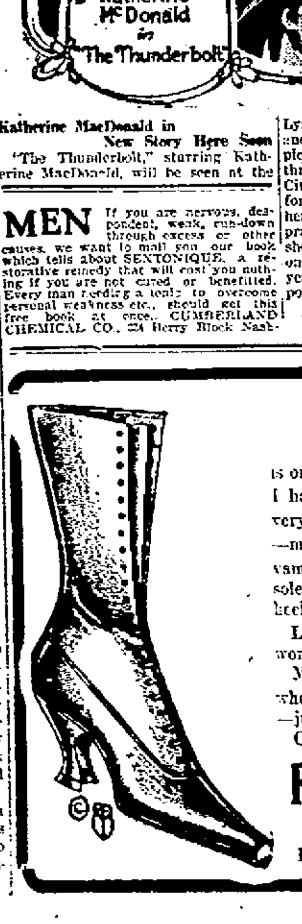

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is one of the most beautiful boots I have in the store, in fact the very latest word in stylish shoes, —made with black patent colt vamps, very light weight welt soles, fawn buck tops, full Louis heels and plain toes.

Ladies if you want the last word in Fall boots this is it.

Most women think of about $15 when they see them,—but listen —just Twelve-fifty.

Comfy Slippers in all colors.

FRANK J. BAKER

The Sleepless Shoeman
Footfitter For Twenty Years

Moritz And Multer Are Placed On All Star Team

Portsmouth High School has two players on the All South-Eastern Ohio football team selected by L. C. Usher. All American tackle of Syracuse University who has watched the progress of the players during the gridiron season. Fullback Multer and Tackle Moritz were the two selected from P. H. S. His report on the selecting of the team follows:

"Football in Southeastern Ohio High Schools this year came back with a bang after two mediocre seasons caused by the war.

"Athens High and Portsmouth High seemed to have the best teams in this part of the country, although Jackson, after a poor start got away good and were never scored on on their own grounds. Gallipolis had a world of material but lacked the necessary fundamental of team work to have a winner. Logan, although light, played a bang-up game all season, as did Nelsonville. Wellston and Ironton had poor teams, but the material at both schools was scarce.

"The All-Southeastern team has been picked from eight schools and the men picked, not alone for individual playing, but for their all around ability to help their team. At the ends I have placed Ambrose, of Logan High, and Christ of Gallipolis High. These two men could hold their own against any High School team in the country, both offensively and defensively. At the two tackle positions, Moritz, of Portsmouth, and Captain Washam, of Jackson High. Defensively these two men were the hardest and most aggressive pair of tackles we have seen here for some time and are both fast for their size. Offensively they were bears to open holes for their backs to plow through. Guard material was scarce and in selecting the men for these positions. I had to use Rizley, of Wellston High and Clark, of Ironton High. Clark is a good, hard, steady player, and Rizley, although used in the backfield, would develop into one of the best guards in High School if left at that position. At center, Leper, of Gallipolis gets the call. This man is one of the best pivot men I have ever seen and could make some college teams. His passing was excellent and his defensive play was wonderful—breaking through time after time, stopping plays before they were well under way. Jackson of Nelsonville High gets the quarterback position. This youngster showed wonderful ability as a field general and on the defense was a star. He was the mainstay of the Nelsonville team and has exceptional speed. Halfback material was more than plentiful and these two positions were the hardest to select. Litler, of Athens High, and Callahan, of Jackson High, would make two extremely good running mates and to them go the positions. Both on the offense and defense these men were the best and formed perfect interference for their team-mates. They are both good line buckers and can skirt the ends at will. At full back I have placed Multer, of Portsmouth High. Multer played a hard, aggressive game all season, and well deserves the position given him. He is an exceptional good line plunger and has no equal in backing up the line on the defense.

The Team

Position	Name	School
Left End	Ambrose	Logan
Left Tackle	Moritz	Portsmouth
Left Guard	Rizley	Wellston
Center	Leper	Gallipolis
Right Guard	Clark	Ironton
Right Tackle	Washam (Captain)	Jackson
Right End	Christ	Gallipolis
Quarterback	Jackson	Nelsonville
Left Back	Litler	Athens
Right Half	Callahan	Jackson
Full Back	Multer	Portsmouth

PENNY ANTE

Ladies Night

How They Batted

Here are the official batting averages of the World Champion Reds for the past season:

Roush .321, Groh .313, Eller .259, Daubert .276, Smith .275, Wingo .273, Fisher .271, Kopf .270, Rath .264, Ruether .251, Cueto .250, Duncan .244, Neale .242, Schreiber .221, Kariden .216, Magee .215, Bressler .206, Sallee .189, Luque .125 and Ring .97.

Depler Is New Captain

CHAMPAIGN, ILL., Dec. 3—John C. Depler, center on the championship U. of I. football team, was elected captain for 1920 at a meeting here today. Depler was almost unanimous choice of the various critics for all-conference berth.

Yale Has A Real Schedule

NEW HAVEN, CONN., Dec. 3—After the trip during Christmas vacation the Yale basketball team will enter upon a strong winter schedule. Among the dates are:

Jan. 23—Princeton at New Haven.

Jan. 31—Pennsylvania at Philadelphia.

Feb. 21—Princeton at Princeton.

Feb. 24—Georgetown at New Haven.

March 10—Pennsylvania at Philadelphia.

The award of the Heppe cup, the intercollegiate trophy, probably will be made. Yale, Princeton, Pennsylvania and Cornell each have two legs won.

STATISTICS OF THE NATIONAL LEAGUE

The following additional figures have been compiled from the official National League batting averages:

The leading batsman for 1919 is Edd J. Roush of Cincinnati Club, with Hornsby of St. Louis a close second, only three points separating the two players. The following is a complete batting record of Roush and Hornsby for comparison:

	G.	AB.	R.	H.	PC.
Roush	133	504	73	162	.321
Hornsby	138	512	68	163	.318

The leading run scorer is George Burns, New York, with 86, who also had the season's record in stolen bases of 40.

Daubert of Cincinnati had the most sacrifice hits, 39.

Young, New York, had the most two base hits, 31.

Myers Brooklyn, and Southworth, Pittsburg, tied for three base hits, having 14 each.

Cravath Philadelphia, made 12 home runs; he also leads all in extra bases made on long hits, with a total of 64, duplicating his work of 1918.

Fred Luderus, Philadelphia, holds the record for consecutive games—five hundred and thirty-three games.

Consecutive hitting during the season was a run of 18 by Southworth, of Pittsburg, started May 20, closed June 12.

New York leads in the club batting with percentage of 269.

New York made most runs—six hundred and five.

Brooklyn made most hits—twelve hundred and seventy two.

New York made most single hits—940.

Philadelphia made most two base hits—208.

Cincinnati made most three base hits—84.

Philadelphia made most home runs—42.

Cincinnati leads in sacrifice hits—190.

Pittsburg had most stolen bases—196.

SOLVAYS BEATEN

In the Industrial Bowling League last night the Selby five took three straights from the Solvay pin bouncers. The Selby clan rolled for a total of 2411 pins, while Solvay totalled only 2125 pins. The score:

Selby—				
Sickles	147	214	189	550
Faught	161	135	000	296
Sodaro	170	191	140	501
Bauer	158	159	154	471
Marple	143	140	130	413
Prosch	000	000	180	180
Totals	779	839	793	2411
Solvay—				
Delmater	158	131	152	441
Butcher	123	138	145	404
Rau	154	87	156	397
Kelly	127	163	129	419
Quinn	149	154	161	464
Totals	711	671	743	2125

Roush Real Leader

Here are the .300 hitters in the National league the past season, the averages being given out officially today:

Name and Club	G.	AB.	R.	H.	Pct.
Bailey, Chicago	21	18	1	7	.350
Mitchell, Brooklyn	34	49	7	18	.367
Cravath, Philadelphia	83	214	34	73	.341
Thorpe, New York	62	159	10	52	.341
Roush, Cincinnati	133	504	73	162	.321
Allen, Cincinnati	15	25	7	8	.320
Hornsby, St. Louis	138	512	68	163	.318
Barber, Chicago	76	230	26	72	.313
Young, New York	130	489	73	152	.311
Groh, Cincinnati	122	448	79	139	.310
Stock, St. Louis	135	492	56	151	.307
Myers, Brooklyn	133	512	62	157	.307
Carey, Pittsburgh	66	244	41	75	.307
Meusel, Philadelphia	135	521	65	159	.305
Burns, New York	139	534	86	162	.303
Statz, New York	21	60	7	18	.300

Bowling

MASONIC LEAGUE
Games This Week
Playhouse Alleys

Monday—Jerseys vs Electrics.
Tuesday—Lactones vs Red Peppers.
Wednesday—Scribes vs Invincibles.
Thursday—Diamonds vs Rollers.

Pennant Alleys

Tuesday—Lemons vs Turkeys.

How They Stand

Team	Won	Lost	Pct
Norwoods	21	6	.778
Diamonds	16	8	.667
Lumberjacks	16	11	.592
Rollers	13	8	.619
Red Peppers	15	12	.555
Electrics	14	13	.518
Jerseys	13	14	.482
Lemons	12	15	.444
Scribes	8	13	.381
Lactones	10	17	.370
Turkeys	10	17	.370
Invincibles	5	10	.298

MASONIC LEAGUE
Lemons Win Two

Lemons—				
Lemon	132	150	157	439
Bickey	150	110	...	260
Klingman	136	165	142	443
Zottman	144	131	135	410
Johnson	111	210	126	447
Blind	...	...	125	125
Total	673	775	685	2133
Turkeys—				
Jackson	124	185	149	431
Coburn	79	114	96	289
Marting	158	135	130	423
Donaldson	137	133	178	448
Reinhard	117	144	169	430
Total	615	684	722	2021

Red Peppers Get Two

Red Peppers—				
Allard	115	111	160	386
Blind	125	...	...	125
Cookes	158	150	140	403
Pepper	134	118	151	403
Malavazos	125	142	119	386
Keyes	...	164	117	281
Total	657	601	696	2014
Lactones—				
Mitchell	91	127	111	329
Chilton	119	113	121	353
Heisel	171	177	155	503
Tatje	...	122	146	268
Blind	125	...	...	125
Leach	...	160	144	304
Blind	125	...	...	125
Total	631	699	677	2007

Wonders Win Two

Wizards—				
Kehrer	124	100	92	316
Jones	86	106	83	275
Memuet	127	121	118	366
Witchlatch	129	134	136	399
Gable	107	103	119	329
Totals	573	564	578	1715
Wonders—				
Underwood	102	132	111	345
Baker	55	55	160	310
Flowers	131	142	126	399
Bierley	67	123	107	297
Crichton	135	178	139	453
Total	553	699	652	1805

Team Pictured

The Football team of P. H. S. had its picture taken today. The Times took a panorama picture of the gridders in their uniforms this afternoon.

Attending Court

Bert Scott of Harden while here attending court is the guest of his two daughters. Mrs. Charles Clark, Robinson avenue and Mrs. Frank Snyder, North Waller street.

At Drew Plant

William Doherty, who recently returned from Camp Sherman, has taken his old job as a cutter in the Tenth street plant of the Irving Drew Shoe company.

Selects Book Many Games

The coming basket ball season promises to be a trying one for the fast select team. They are booked to play some of the best teams in the state.

On next Friday evening, Dec. 5, they will clash with the team representing Camp Sherman. The camp teams have always been good and this year's team should be no exception.

After they dispose of Camp Sherman one of their hardest games of the season will follow, that with Huntington here the following Saturday. The Huntington team is composed of men like Frankie Ross, Jimmy O. Boyle, Genvey and other notable basket ball players of West Virginia.

This game will be the first of a series of three games the local team will play with the up-river lads. The third game will be played for a side bet.

That the local five is recognized as a coming team, can be attested by the fact that the Circleville Athletic Club and the Friars of Cincinnati, have scheduled games with them. These two teams along with Christ Church and the Dayton Triangles are recognized as the class in basket ball of Ohio. The Selects are determined to give these teams a real fight.

The game next Friday night will be called promptly at 7:30 p. m., thus giving every one an opportunity to attend the Elks' Charity Ball after the game. Season tickets are limited to one hundred and those who desire to get one should see any of the Selects before Friday.

Married Tuesday

Pearl Evans and Miss Bertha Henry, well known couple of Black Fork secured a marriage license in Ironton yesterday and were married there by Squire Neal. They will reside in Black Fork.

McHenry Batted .286

Outfielder Austin McHenry of this city batted at a .286 clip for the St. Louis Cardinals the past season.

For awhile it looked like he would lead the league but he slumped during the last four weeks of the season. He took part in 110 games, made 371 trips to the plate and cracked out 106 hits.

RUTH TO TACKLE THE OLD RING GAME

LOS ANGELES, CAL. Dec. 3—"Babe" Ruth, outfielder for the Boston American league baseball club and champion home run hitter of the world may become a professional heavyweight boxer it was announced today.

"Kid" McCoy, a former pugilist and Al St. John, a motion picture actor today entered into agreement by which McCoy will train Ruth for thirty days and if his report was favorable it was said, St. John would finance a campaign of the outfielder to obtain a match with Jack Dempsey, heavyweight champion.

Ruth has given up plans to become a motion picture actor, it was said.

Motion Is Overruled

The Enquirer of local interest Tuesday said:

"In the personal injury suit of Harlan H. Smith, Portsmouth, O. vs the Ft. Pitt Bridge Works, United States District Judge Peck yesterday overruled the motion of the defendant to quash service of summons and directed the defendant to plead further within 30 days."

Local Bowlers To Take Part In Tourney

CINCINNATI, Dec. 3—Entries for the first annual tournament of the Central States Bowlers' Association will close Monday, December 8. No entries will be received after that date. Entries can be mailed to Al. J. Steves, care the Federal Alleys, Sixth and Main streets, Cincinnati, O.

Bowlers from Portsmouth are expected to take a prominent part in the contest for the prize money, which will exceed $5,000. Nine handsome gold medals also are to be awarded to the winners in each event. More than 200 teams are expected to compete. To date 75 local teams have entered and more than that number from the outside.

Included in the famous Fives in the tournament will be the Old Bonds of Columbus, O., the Lincoln Life of Ft. Wayne, Ind.; The Capitol Five of Indianapolis and the Rivals and Potters of Cincinnati.

The question of where the next tournament will be held will be decided at the annual meeting here January 2. Dayton and Indianapolis are after it.

An innovation that should prove popular is the arrangement to be made in the schedule whereby all events can be rolled by any bowler in one day. This arrangement will be carried out wherever possible. The entry fee of $3 per man for each event also should prove a winner.

Special invitations are extended to bowlers in towns, cities and villages adjacent to the big cities to send in their entry.

Party Is Postponed

The Juniors and Seniors of P. H. S. have not decided on when they will hold their annual party. It was to be held some time ago, but owing to the Juniors and Seniors desire to hold dance at their party, they have decided to postpone it indefinitely.

Why Women Talk.

Men are downtown at their offices all day and have a chance to talk. The women have to stay at home, and with the exception of the milkman, the grocery man, the iceman, the old clothes man, a few miscellaneous peddlers and hucksters, and the woman next door, there is nobody to talk to. That is why wife talks her husband's head off when he comes home at night. Husbands, who through long years of experience, have grown accustomed to this merely answer "hmh-hmh" without hearing. Sometimes the wife will catch them unawares and between remarks will insert a request for $10 to buy a new dress with. If the husband, from force of habit answers "hmh-hmh," the wife, of course, gets the gown.—Cartoons Magazine.

Apostle Spoons.

Apostle spoons, also called "gossip spoons," were gilt spoons given by the "sponsors or "gossips" to a child at its christening. They were so called because each spoon had a figure of an apostle on the handle. Wealthy people gave the whole twelve Apostles; those of less means and generosity gave the four Evangelists; while poorer persons had to be contented with one, being generally the figure of the donor's or of the child's patron saint.

Trimmers Beat Messengers

The Trimmers won two out of three games from the Messengers in the Selby league at the Crystal Palace bowling alleys Monday night.

Faught was high man with a score of 532, and Sodaro second with 512. All the Selby bowlers are fighting hard to be in the first six highest who will be sent to Cincinnati this month to roll in the Central States Bowling Tournament.

Last night's scores:

Messengers—				
Colis	105	110	143	367
Prosch	151	145	136	432
Duke	118	120	000	247
Fryer	96	000	116	212
McHenry	000	107	117	221
Faught	208	189	135	532
Total	678	689	647	2014
Trimmers—				
Sodaro	174	200	138	512
H. Hobstetter	113	106	132	351
Miller	127	145	98	371
J. Hobstetter	142	96	168	406
Knapp	124	109	110	383
Total	690	659	676	2025

"Carpet-Bagger."

It is said that the term "carpet-bagger" was first applied to political adventurers in America. It was designed to describe a needy political adventurer who wanders over the country pandering to the prejudices of the ignorant in order to try to get into office. He was so called because he was regarded as having only enough property to fill a carpet bag.

The Almighty Dollar.

Bribery has been the downfall of many public men during the course of history. Francis Bacon, the greatest thinker of his age, was ruined by his cupidity. Lord Chancellor Macclesfield and Waterbury were destroyed by the same vice. Benedict Arnold sold a fort in New York to the enemy for $31,575. For this same sin Gorgei betrayed Austria, Ahithopel forsook David and Judas delivered up Christ.

Agile Rhinoceros.

The rhinoceros, notwithstanding its unwieldy shape and short legs, is one of the most agile of beasts. A horseman can scarcely manage to overtake it, and in strength it is perhaps unsurpassed by any animal in the forest. In a single combat no animal but the elephant can stand up against it. To kill a rhinoceros a rifle ball must strike behind the shoulder.

Team Workers To Make Final Report Tonight

Tonight at 7:30 o'clock in the Elks' Club rooms the first membership meeting of the Chamber of Commerce will be held with several matters to be discussed which will be of the utmost importance.

Every member has been requested to be in attendance at tonight's meeting, the notice sent each member requesting them to bring a new member with them. In this way it is hoped to reach the set goal of 1,500.

At this session the team workers will make a final report on the membership campaign which resulted in more than 1,400 members being secured for the Portsmouth Chamber of Commerce. These workers should be given the glad hand tonight and every member should be there to take a part in making the team workers feel that their work was all that it could have been.

A constitution and by-laws will also be presented for approval tonight by the committee named to adopt the rules by which the Chamber of Commerce will be governed. This is the democratic organization.

Several talks will be on the program the chief speaker of the evening to be O. R. Stone, Field Secretary of the American City Bureau who will take for his subject, "The Working Plan of a Modern Chamber of Commerce." Besides this main address there will be short talks by local men.

NO APPRECIABLE REDUCTION IN TAXES IN NEXT FISCAL YEAR, SAYS SEC. GLASS

WASHINGTON, Dec. 3—No appreciable reduction in taxes for the next fiscal year is to be thought of, Secretary Glass declared in his annual report sent today to Congress. Government receipts must be kept at their present figure, he said, in order to bring government borrowing to an end.

Facing expenditures estimated at $5,620,486,359 for the year ending June 30, 1920, and $4,473,606,358 for the year ending June 30, 1921, the government must enforce rigid economy. Mr. Glass declared. He placed the deficit for the current year at $3,005,000,000 and for the year ending June 30, 1921 at approximately $2,005,000,000.

On this basis, Mr. Glass urged Congress to deny "every appropriation for expenditure in new fields." He said the same policy should obtain until the government had its sinking fund well under way and repayment of the war debt "satisfactorily begun."

Mr. Glass charged that excessive government expenditures were "the most vital factors," in increasing the cost of living and argued that it was urgently necessary to keep down public expense for this reason as well as because of the drain on the taxpayers.

The present revenue laws need revising to meet new conditions, he said. He referred particularly to the excess profits tax laws which he described as being "objectionable even as a wartime expedient."

Mr. Glass also urged redrafting of the revenue laws to prevent the evasion of federal taxes through the investment of wealth in the obligations of states and municipalities. He said laws should be enacted which would compel the reporting of such incomes, although they should be wholly tax exempt, and that that sum with other income of an individual should be computed as the basis of assessing federal taxes on the amount derived from taxable sources.

Relations between conditions in Europe and those in the United States were discussed also by Mr. Glass. He said that, undoubtedly there was a very great need in Europe for financial assistance, but that the situation had been much exaggerated.

Returning to the estimated government expenditures for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1921 Mr. Glass said the military establishment would ask appropriations aggregating $989,587,657. Of this sum, $877,302,020 would be required, he said, for maintenance of the army proper while $85,408,000 would be apportioned to the national guard. The Military Academy would receive $6,778,637.

For the navy, the appropriation of $542,031,804, including $165,248,000 for a building program is to be asked.

An aggregate of $104,578,000 will be sought for public works. In this is included funds for rivers' and harbors' improvement totalling $53,650,265. Fortifications arsenals and military posts will require about $120,000,000.

The legislative establishment will need $9,025,297, it was estimated, while the executive branches of the government combined will seek a total of $149,111,463. Chief among the latter departmental expenditures is an estimate of $73,405,101 for the Treasury Department. This sum which is much larger than in former years indicates the added expense to be borne in the enforcement of prohibition. Included in this also is the appropriation of $37,528,102 to be asked by the Department of Agriculture for carrying on its field activities.

The judiciary will ask for $1,631,190. For foreign intercourse, appropriations totalling $11,243,250 will be sought. Appropriations for the Department of State, exclusive of the funds for use in foreign work, will be $1,571,350, and for the executive departments, appropriations to be sought will be as follows: War Department proper, $6,615,185; Navy Department, proper, $3,097,570; Interior Department, $8,257,155; Post Office Department $2,043,570; Department of Commerce, $12,778,337; Department of Justice $701,540, and Department of Labor, $1,700,430.

Approximately $80,000,000 will be sought by the various executive branches also to be used in public works. This latter includes $51,000,000 to be asked by the Navy Department for work in navy yards, docks, etc., and $22,000,000 for the Interior Department's reclamation service.

The Shipping Board has estimated its needs at $447,775,061 to be used in operation of the merchant marine and completing the building program.

The administration program for rehabilitating soldiers and sailors call for an appropriation of $38,750,000. This figure, however, is subject to change because statistics as to certain projected activities were incomplete.

Work of the Federal Trade Commission will require $1,238,130. Expenditures of the District of Columbia government were estimated at $19,170,000.

Permanent annual appropriations for the year amount to $1,425,407,752. These included $1,017,500,000 for interest on the public debt; customs and internal revenue, $25,207,000; sinking fund $287,500,000, and miscellaneous $95,500,000.

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THE MIGHTY STRUGGLE

ACCORDING to a report, issued by the war department, the total of armies sent to the continent of Europe was 2,084,000. Of these 1,200,000 actually saw battle service.

The armies were organized into combat divisions of 28 000 officers and men. The British divisions were smaller with fifteen thousand, the German and French with about 12,000 each.

The combat troops fought for 200 days and participated in thirteen distinct battles, ten of these were joint with French and English, one with the Italians and two distinctly by themselves. They held a front of 191 miles which was greater than the British held, in the final and decisive campaign. They captured 63,000 prisoners, 1,378 pieces of artillery, 708 trench mortars and 9,650 machine guns.

The two distinctly American operations were the battles of St. Mihiel and the Meuse-Argonne. The former may well be called a solely American affair as they did all the fighting, which was crowned with quick and brilliant success and regarded of the highest importance, because it drove the Germans out of a salient that projected far into France and was regarded as specially dangerous at all times. Some parallel is drawn between Argonne and Gettysburg. In the first the American forces numbered the big total of 550,000 and the battle was characterized by the most tremendous artillery introduction that the war had seen up to that time. For four hours a steady stream of cannon and shell were poured upon the German positions and in that time 1,000,000 rounds. At Gettysburg the union batteries fired only 33,000 rounds in three days.

It was at the Meuse and in the Argonne that the supreme test came between the Americans and the Germans. This engagement was planned by the American commanders and conducted by them, with the French supporting. Pershing said: "Its object is to draw the best German divisions to our front and consume them." Hindenburg and Ludendorff ,who hated Americans in a way that constantly found malignant expression, vowed they would crush the swine from across the sea. Against them they flung the pride and flower of the Huns. Prussians, Bavarians, Hanoverians, who boasted no enemy could stand before them, let alone overcome them. Pershing brought up his full battle strength, throwing in even a raw brigade or two. With a dash and vigor that the German generals, with their orderly and automatic brigades, had not thought possible, the Americans hurled themselves into the fray. For forty-seven days the engagement raged in continuous and boisterous fury. The objective was Sedan, attaining which the German communications, back of their lines would be cut, and then defeat their certain portion. Realizing this Hindenburg and Ludendorff brought up the best they had, even the redoubtable Fifth army, but all in vain. The Americans might be stopped briefly, but they could not be staid, for there were a million, two hundred thousand now engaged and the whole German army couldn't bring them to pause. Rising to the final war movement on November 1st the most desperate resistance failed to bring them to pause and in seven days Sedan fell, the French, for patriotic reasons, being allowed to take the city. The Germans admitted defeat and on the 11th the war came to an end.

The Meuse-Argonne campaign has been compared to the battle of the Wilderness, the longest of the Civil war and lasted for eight days and which was fought over similarly rough ground, with desperate resistance and tremendous casualties.

But there were twelve times as many engaged in the Meuse-Argonne battle and it lasted six times as long. The carnage among the enemy was worse than among the Americans, though the latter counted up 120,000 killed and wounded.

Come out tonight and have your say as to how the chamber of commerce shall be run.

SHE MARRIED AN AVERAGE MAN

BY ZOE BECKLEY

"My mother-in-law (may the gods give me patience! How long, how long is she going to stay in this little four-room flat of ours!) said to me today, as she sat placidly sewing buttons on Jim's shirts, "Ann dear, I think if you would give in about this one thing—your work—it would bring you as well as James a great deal of happiness."

"Why do you think so?" I asked feeling, although I am twenty-four, and mother Salsbery is fifty-one like a kindergarten teacher trying to develop a backward pupil.

"Because a true woman always finds her greatest joy in unselfishness."

"That depends," I answered, passing over the "true woman" part, "on what you call unselfishness. If by continuing my writing, for which the 'Messenger' is beginning to pay me well, I had to neglect my home and my husband, keeping it up solely to please my vanity or buy luxuries for myself, I should see justice in what you say. But when the only object is to cater to a prejudice of Jim's——"

"My dear!" interrupted Mother Salsbery horribly shocked. "He only wishes to protect and spare you!"

"I don't wish to be protected and spared," I retorted warmly. "I wish to develop myself, to live my own life. You might as well say parents are justified in preventing their children from marrying on the ground that they are sparing them life's battles. A child has a right to buy his own experiences, with pain and sacrifice, if necessary. I have heard parents say, 'Oh, my Susie has everything she wants. We humor her in all her wishes. Why should she want to marry and leave us? How can they judge what Susie longs for? How dare they call imprisonment protection? Why it is 'selfishness' when I carry out my wishes and not 'selfishness' when Jim carries out his?"

"By her marriage vow a wife promises to love, honor and obey her husband, and to be guided by his will and his wishes. Submission is a beautiful trait. Most women would give anything to have the love and strength James puts at your disposal," said my mother-in-law, hardly able to wrestle successfully with the main issue.

"In that case," I returned, "there would be no question of unselfishness. Such women would be getting just what they wanted. There would be no 'giving in' no 'submission'. There is a time to 'give in' and a time not to. The mere act of 'giving in' brings gain to no one. Mere lives have been wrecked by submission than by opposition. The time to 'give in' is when, by doing so somebody's character is strengthened or some constructive principle is served.

"In our case my 'giving in' would represent tyrannical selfishness on Jim's part and loss of character on mine. I would be 'giving in' simply to have peace—to end an uncomfortable situation just as a foolish mother hands her child the candy to quiet it no matter what trouble it means afterwards!"

There was an uncomfortable pause. Jim's mother bit off her thread with the air of one who, after the struggle is resigned to disaster.

"'Tyrannical selfishness' is a strong term, my dear," she fired as a last despairing shot. "You may live to see the day when you would gladly exchange a very questionable freedom for James' 'tyrannical selfishness.' Disgrace is harder to bear than—than a husband's tyranny."

"Did she intend a reference to Eric Semis? Does she know about him? Has Jim——

"I don't know. When I looked questioningly at her she rose abruptly and left the room.

"Things are miserable. I am weary and bewildered.

(To be continued)

New - York - Day - By - Day

BY

O. O. McINTYRE

NEW YORK, Dec. 3.—

He was very stately.

And extremely dignified.

In a high silk hat.

And a braided frock-coat.

And on his chin.

He had a wisp of hair.

That looked very much.

Like a misplaced eye-brow.

And he stopped me.

Right on Fifth Avenue.

And shook my hand.

And began to giggle.

And the longer we stood

The more he giggled.

And I got a whiff.

Of his breath.

And quite understood.

And began to giggle too.

For behind the frivolous.

Mask of a giggler.

One may find a cold quart.

And almost anyone.

Would die giggling for that.

And so we stood.

While people passed by.

Wondering just how it was.

We were all [illegible]e.

And finally [illegible] away.

Motioning me to follow.

And we got to his house.

And he put his fingers.

To his lips for silence.

And we tip-toed.

Through a long hallway.

And then down some steps.

And around some more steps.

And he would stop.

Now and then.

And signal for silence.

And finally we were.

In a great big cellar.

And he took me.

Around behind a furnace.

And there was an old cat.

With a litter of kittens.

And he giggled some more.

And didn't say a word.

About where he got the stuff.

That gave him the breath.

And I left him.

Standing there giggling.

And so far as I know.

He is still giggling.

I wouldn't drink.

His giggle water anyway.

It makes you undignified.

MONARCH FOR A DAY

WHO'S WHO IN THE DAY'S NEWS

SIR HORACE RUMBOLD

SIR RUMBOLD

Announcement that Sir Horace Rumbold has been appointed British ambassador to Poland gives assurance of the services of a trained diplomat in that difficult and delicate post. He is half American, his mother having been Caroline Harrington, whose father, at the time of the marriage, was American minister in Berne, Switzerland.

Sir Horace has been in the diplomatic service since 1888, when he was an attache at The Hague. In 1894 he was assigned to Cairo. The following year the British government granted him an allowance for his knowledge of Arabic. He was sent to Tehran in 1895, and in 1896 won a further allowance for his knowledge of Persian. In 1897 he was transferred to Vienna, and he reached a first secretaryship in 1904, when he went to Madrid.

In 1906 he was charge d'affaires in Munich proceeding from there to Tokio as counselor of the British embassy in 1909. In 1910 he won an allowance for his knowledge of Japanese. He served as charge in Tokio during much of his four years of service there, obtaining the coronation medal in 1911. In 1913 he was transferred to Berlin as counselor, remaining there until the outbreak of the war.

After a period in the foreign office in London he was sent as British minister to Switzerland in 1916, and while there received the decoration of K. C. M. G. He is fifty years old and the ninth baronet of his family, the title having first been bestowed in 1779.

No Better

J. F. McMahon, Eleventh street, who suffered a paralytic stroke Wednesday afternoon while on his N. & W. engine, remains in about the same condition.

Abe Martin

Miss Tawney Apple is havin' her eyebrows weeded out. Lots o' folks look shorter when they stand on their dignity.

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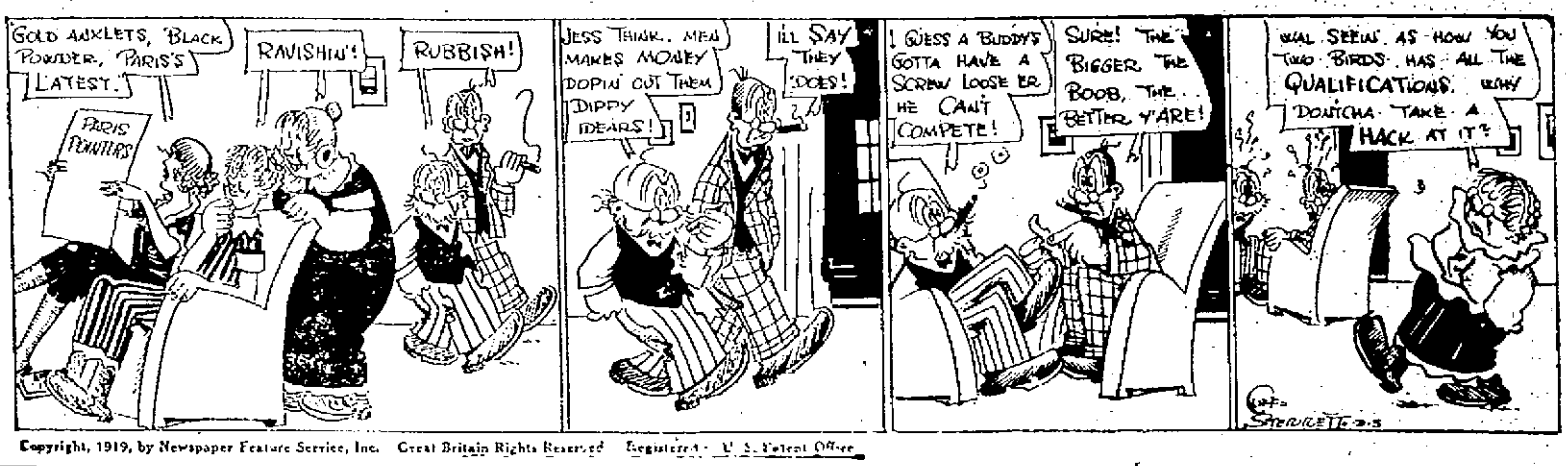
POLLY AND HER PALS

It's A Cinch They Couldn't Do Worse Than What's Been Done

BY CLIFF STERRETT



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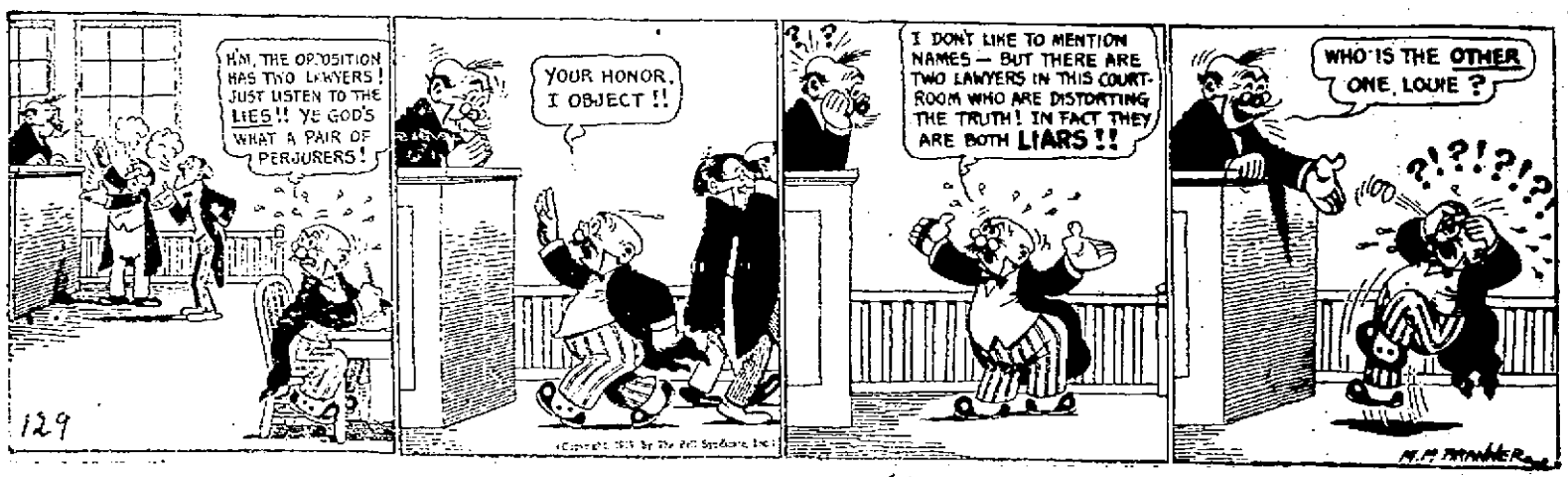
The Retort Courteous

BY M. M. BRANNER



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GERMANS GROW DEFIANT, REFUSE TO SIGN PROTOCOL

SHARP REACTION SHOWN IN GERMANY SINCE SENATE'S FAILURE TO RATIFY TREATY

PARIS, Dec. 3—Germany has decided not to sign the protocol presented to her by the allies as a condition for putting the peace treaty into effect, the peace conference has been notified.

It was learned today that Baron Kurt Von Lersner, head of the German delegation here, called on Secretary Dutasta of the conference, on Monday and told him that Germany had made such a decision.

This attitude is taken as confirming reports of a sharp reaction in Germany within the last fortnight. Trained observers of German developments have expressed to members of the peace conference the view that there has been a complete transformation of the situation in Germany and that it is due to the failure of the United States senate to ratify the peace treaty.

These observers declare that while the vast majority of the Germans, before the senate's adjournment, desired the peace treaty ratified as soon as possible, they are now supporting the government's attitude in resisting the demands of the allies for indemnity for the sinking of the German fleet at Scapa Flow, recompense for which is provided in the protocol.

The question upon which the Germans representatives here, however, appear most sensitive, is the insistence upon the trial of German officers accused of the commission of crimes in France and Belgium.

Thus far, it is stated, no indications have reached Paris of any disposition on the part of the Germans to modify their attitude.

The supreme council today addressed a note to Germany protesting against the increase of Germany's armament, contrary to the provisions of the peace treaty.

BIG CUT IN GAS SUPPLY FOR NORTH OHIO TOWNS

COLUMBUS, O., Dec. 3—On top of an already acute coal shortage, many northern and northwestern Ohio cities are facing a big curtailment of their gas supply from West Virginia, as a result of an order of the West Virginia utilities commission just brought to the attention of Ohio authorities.

According to information reaching Attorney General Price, the West Virginia commission has provided for a connection of the lines of the Hope Natural Gas Company of West Virginia, which supplies northern Ohio with gas, with the lines of the West Virginia Traction and Electric Company.

If the authority of the commission given the Hope company is carried out, it will mean the diversion of 2,000,000 cubic feet of gas a day to the West Virginia Traction and Light Company and consequently loss of this amount to the Ohio companies, which it supplies. The contract, which the commission has approved, calls for 250,000,000 cubic feet of gas to be furnished the traction and light company in the next nine months.

The Hope company is a producing and transmitting company and among its clients are the Northern Natural Gas Company of Toledo, and the East Ohio Gas Company of Cleveland.

These latter companies supply gas to Toledo, Cleveland, Canton, Akron, Youngstown, Niles, Massillon, Ravenna, Warren, Uhrichsville, Denison, New Philadelphia and other smaller northern Ohio municipalities.

Attorney General Price is preparing to take action in the federal courts to prevent the action being carried out. It is regarded as adangerous precedent. Ohio and Pennsylvania officials last spring brought suit in the United States court to prevent the enforcement of the Steptoe bill passed by the West Virginia legislature, which was designed to curtail the supply of gas from that state to Ohio and Pennsylvania. The case is still pending in the supreme court.

Price said he may seek an injunction in the federal courts to restrain the latest action of West Virginia officials to curtail Ohio's gas supply.

Oh You Red Ink

Monthly report cards were issued at the High School today. It is rumored that a goodly amount of red ink was used in filling in the estimates.

CARRANZA HAS POWER TO SETTLE DIFFICULTIES WITH UNITED STATES

MEXICO CITY, Tuesday, Dec. 2—The solution of difficulties arising out of international affairs with the United States were entrusted to President Carranza without legislative intrusion by the senate at a secret session held today. Relations with the United States were declared during the session as being "very delicate."

WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 3—State department officials were marking time today awaiting word from Mexico City of the official delivery of the latest American note to the Mexican government and the subsequent action inspired by it. The message was garbled in transmission and this delayed its presentation to President Carranza.

EXEMPTIONS IN STATE INCOME TAX LAW LOWERED; READY FOR INTRODUCTION IN HOUSES

COLUMBUS, O., Dec. 3—The proposed income tax law, drafted by the joint taxation committee, was ready for introduction in the two houses today. Exemptions under the law are lowered from $1,000 and $2,000 to $500 and $1,000. Single men will be allowed an exemption of only $500 and married men $1,000 and $200 for each dependent child. The rate is fixed at 1 percent on the first $4,000 annual income and 2 percent on each additional thousand.

The rate is the same as the federal income tax law, but the exemptions are lower. The law is designed as a revenue getter to bring relief to financially embarrassed state, city and county governments. It is estimated that it will produce $7,000,000 annually.

The bill provides that 25 percent of the revenue shall go to the state government and 75 percent will remain in local taxing districts.

Collection of the tax will be in the hands of county auditors, the state tax commission being given supervisory powers. The graduated automobile tax bill, the first revenue producing measure on the taxation committee's program, will be up for passage in the house this afternoon. As this bill now stands, it provides for a tax of $8 on machines of less than 25 horsepower; $12 for machines of less than 35 horsepower and $20 for machines of 35 horsepower or more. In addition to these schedules, trucks will be taxed 20 cents per 100 on the weight of the truck and carrying capacity.

This measure is expected to produce an annual revenue of $6,000,000 for road and street maintenance only. The tax is to be collected by county auditors and 50 percent sent to the state and 50 percent retained in the district in which the tax is collected.

Representative Crabbe, chairman of the house temperance committee, was drafting a new prohibition enforcement measure, which he may introduce in the house today following a conference with a select committee made of both Democrats and Republicans and including men who voted against passage of the former Crabbe act. Crabbe's bill will be less drastic than the one offered by Senator Miller, leader of the dry forces in the upper house. It will define intoxicating liquors according to the definition given in the federal prohibition act, provide against search and seizure in private residences and carry a wide range of penalties for violation so as to give judges wide discretionary power in the punishment of violators.

It will be a short bill, minus many of the regulatory provisions of the Volstead act, and the bill in the hands of Senator Miller. Crabbe said Democrats and members who had voted against the former bill sponsored by him, which was defeated in a referendum, had promised suport of the new measure.

The bill creates no new law enforcing machinery, leaving enforcement in the hands of the attorney general for the state and county prosecutors for the county. Only county sheriffs and police authorities in cities are given the right to make arrests or execute search and seizure warrants. The search and seizure provisions of the federal act are adopted in this bill. Penalties will be the same as those in the federal act.

Rural members of the legislature, who met last night to consider changes in the Hughes health code, agreed to hear Dr. A. W. Freeman, state health commissioner, and James E. Bauman, deputy commissioner, today before taking any action.

Representative Hughes, of Lorain county, author of the health code, vigorously defends the law in a statement issued today. He suggests an amendment that will provide a check against extravagance and make some provision for emergency finance but says that "in view of the possibility of a return of the influenza epidemic, it is unthinkable that we should delay the operation of the law one moment longer than necessary."

CITATION FOR CONTEMPT IN COAL STRIKE EXPECTED

INDIANAPOLIS, IND., Dec. 3—Citations for contempt of court, directed against members of the United Mine Workers of America and possibly against coal mine owners, are expected within the next 24 hours as the government's next step in its efforts to bring about an end of the strike of bituminous coal miners.

It became known yesterday that a mass of evidence against alleged violator of the strike injunction has been collected by agents of the department of justice and that proceedings will be instituted immediately. Government attorneys take the position that statements made by individual miners, which might be viewed as encouragement of the strike or agreement by any two members to refrain from work, constitute violation of the injunction.

WEATHER

OHIO—Fair tonight and Thursday; not quite so cold Thursday.

FURTHER DISRUPTION OF NATION INDUSTRY BY SHORTAGE OF COAL SUPPLY

CHICAGO, Dec. 3—Further disruption of national industry because of the fuel shortage brought about by the strike of bituminous coal miners was in prospect today. Regional directors of railroads had authority to annul passenger trains, where the public would be least inconvenienced, and many additional manufacturing plants throughout the country faced shut downs, either through exhaustion of their coal supplies or the strict rationing decreed by the federal fuel administrator.

State Officials Without Encouragement

State executives, who, under appeals from their constituents for aid, have sought ways and means for replenishing the dwindling fuel supply, today virtually were without encouragement as regarded increased production. Only in isolated instances were there reports of a change of front on the part of the miners.

A slight ray of hope, however, was found in optimistic reports from operators of the district embracing southeastern Kentucky, Tennessee and Virginia that the backbone of the strike there had been broken; the return to work of miners at one small mine in Missouri, with the statement that they, as Americans, could not see their neighbors suffer, and adoption by miners of one West Virginia subdistrict of a resolution favoring a general return to work under the 14 per cent wage increase "until a satisfactory adjustment is made."

Rather Gloomy Outlook

On the other hand, cutting off of electric advertising and other nonessential use of power and fuel, with the added prospect of further curtailment of industry, brought to the general public a rather gloomy outlook. Some regional coal directors estimated that with reductions of working staffs already made, or threatened, should the strike not be broken immediately, the number of employes thrown out of work soon would surpass several times over the approximately 500,000 mine workers involved in the walk out.

DARING BANDIT CAPTURED AFTER A THRILLING CHASE

DOUGLAS, WYO., Dec. 3. — Two score more years of prison life, possibly death in the electric chair confronted "Hill" Carlisle, train bandit, as he lay today in a hospital with a bullet hole in his chest while armed guards hovered in the background of hospital nurses to prevent his escape.

The artful train robber who for three weeks had laughingly defied federal, railroad and private detectives was captured today near Glenl, Wyo., after he had been seriously wounded.

The well known bandit, who had secluded himself in the cabin of Frank Williams about eighteen miles from Douglas, fought desperately the posses which had been in pursuit until he fell from wounds. He was shot through one lung.

Glad Chase is Over

Suffering from his wound and benumbed by the extreme cold, Carlisle when brought to a Douglas hospital said:

"I am glad the chase has ended."

Carlisle attracted nation wide interest, when, after escaping from the penitentiary in this state, he held up and robbed the passengers of a Los Angeles limited on November 18. After that escapade, messages purporting to be from him and taunting officials because of their vain efforts to capture him, were received throughout the country.

It was reported recently that the chase had been abandoned, as it was believed that the prolific bandit had gone the way of others in Wyoming—into "the hole-in-the-wall" in the "Bad Lands" of the state.

A force of Union Pacific detectives, headed by Charles Irwin of Cheyenne,

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OPENING STOCKS

NEW YORK, Dec. 3.—Signs of renewed public interest were manifested by various issues at the opening of today's stock market. Gains of 1 to 2 points were made by rails, steels, coppers, oils, shippings, equipments and specialties. General Motors was again the most conspicuous feature at an advance of 4 points. Aside from Delaware and Hudson, which showed renewed weakness, the market seemed disposed to disregard the coal strike situation and further demoralization in the foreign exchange market.

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Moritz And Multer Are Placed On All Star Team

Portsmouth High School has two players on the All South-Eastern Ohio football team selected by L. C. Usher. All American tackle of Syracuse University who has watched the progress of the players during the gridiron season. Fullback Multer and Tackle Moritz were the two selected from P. H. S. His report on the selecting of the team follows:

"Football in Southeastern Ohio High Schools this year came back with a bang after two mediocre seasons caused by the war.

"Athens High and Portsmouth High seemed to have the best teams in this part of the country, although Jackson, after a poor start got away good and were never scored on on their own grounds. Gallipolis had a world of material but lacked the necessary fundamental of team work to have a winner. Logan, although light, played a bang-up game all season, as did Nelsonville. Wellston and Ironton had poor teams, but the material at both schools was scarce.

"The All-Southeastern team has been picked from eight schools and the men picked, not alone for individual playing, but for their all around ability to help their team. At the ends I have placed Ambrose, of Logan High, and Christ of Gallipolis High. These two men could hold their own against any High School team in the country, both offensively and defensively. At the two tackle positions, Moritz, of Portsmouth, and Captain Washam, of Jackson High. Defensively these two men were the hardest and most aggressive pair of tackles we have seen here for some time and are both fast for their size. Offensively they were bears to open holes for their backs to plow through. Guard material was scarce and in selecting the men for these positions, I had to use Risley, of Wellston High and Clark, of Ironton High. Clark is a good, hard, steady player, and Risley, although used in the backfield, would develop into one of the best guards in High School if left at that position. At center, Leper, of Gallipolis gets the call. This man is one of the best pivot men I have ever seen and could make some college teams. His passing was excellent and his defensive play was wonderful—breaking through time after time, stopping plays before they were well under way. Jackson of Nelsonville High gets the quarterback position. This youngster showed wonderful ability as a field general and on the defense was a star. He was the mainstay of the Nelsonville team and has exceptional speed. Halfback material was more than plentiful and these two positions were the hardest to select. Litler, of Athens High, and Callihan, of Jackson High, would make two extremely good running mates and to them go the positions. Both on the offense and defense these men were the best and formed perfect interference for their team-mates. They are both good line buckers and can skirt the ends at will. At full back I have placed Multer, of Portsmouth High. Multer played a hard, aggressive game all season, and well deserves the position given him. He is an exceptional good line plunger and has no equal in backing up the line on the defense.

The Team

Position	Name	School
Left End	Ambrose	Logan
Left Tackle	Moritz	Portsmouth
Left Guard	Risley	Wellston
Center	Leper	Gallipolis
Right Guard	Clark	Ironton
Right Tackle	Wesham (Captain)	Jackson
Right End	Christ	Gallipolis
Quarterback	Jackson	Nelsonville
Left Back	Litler	Athens
Right Half	Callahan	Jackson
Full Back	Multer	Portsmouth

PENNY ANTE — Ladies Night

How They Batted

Here are the official batting averages of the World Champion Reds for the past season:

Roush .321, Groh .313, Eller .280, Daubert .276, Smith .275, Wingo .273, Fisher .271, Kopf .270, Rath .264, Rueter .261, Cueto .250, Duncan .211, Neale .242, Schreiber .224, Rariden .217, Magee .215, Bressler .206, Sallee .175, Luque .125 and Ring .97.

Depler Is New Captain

CHAMPAIGN, ILL., Dec. 3—John C. Depler, center on the championship U. of I. football team, was elected captain for 1920 at a meeting here today. Depler was almost unanimous choice of the various critics for all conference berth.

Yale Has A Real Schedule

NEW HAVEN, CONN., Dec. 3—After the trip during Christmas vacation the Yale basketball team will enter upon a strong winter schedule. Among the dates are:

Jan. 23—Princeton at New Haven.

Jan. 31—Pennsylvania at Philadelphia.

Feb. 21—Princeton at Princeton.

Feb. 24—Georgetown at New Haven.

March 10—Pennsylvania at Philadelphia.

The award of the Hoppe cup, the intercollegiate trophy, probably will be made. Yale, Princeton, Pennsylvania and Cornell each have two legs won.

STATISTICS OF THE NATIONAL LEAGUE

The following additional figures have been compiled from the official National League batting averages:

The leading batsman for 1919 is Edd J. Roush of Cincinnati Club, with Hornsby of St. Louis a close second, only three points separating the two players. The following is a complete batting record of Roush and Hornsby for comparison:

	G.	AB.	R.	H.	PC.
Roush	133	504	73	162	.321
Hornsby	138	512	68	163	.318

The leading run scorer is George Burns, New York, with 86, who also had the season's record in stolen bases of 40.

Daubert of Cincinnati had the most sacrifice hits, 39.

Young, New York, had the most two base hits, 31.

Myers Brooklyn, and Southworth, Pittsburg, tied for three base hits, having 14 each.

Cravath Philadelphia, made 12 home runs; he also leads all in extra bases made on long hits, with a total of 64, duplicating his work of 1918.

Fred Luderus, Philadelphia, holds the record for consecutive games—five hundred and thirty-three games.

Consecutive hitting during the season was a run of 18 by Southworth, of Pittsburg, started May 20, closed June 12.

New York leads in the club batting with percentage of 269.

New York made most runs—six hundred and five.

Brooklyn made most hits—twelve hundred and seventy two.

New York made most single hits—940.

Philadelphia made most two base hits—208.

Cincinnati made most three base hits—84.

Philadelphia made most home runs—42.

Cincinnati leads in sacrifice hits—199.

Pittsburg had most stolen bases—196.

SOLVAYS BEATEN

In the Industrial Bowling League last night the Selby five took three straights from the Solvay pin bouncers. The Selby clan rolled for a total of 2411 pins, while Solvay totalled only 2125 pins. The score:

Selby—			
Sickles	147	214	189—550
Faught	161	135	000—296
Sodaro	170	191	140—501
Bauer	158	159	154—471
Marple	143	140	130—413
Prosch	003	000	180—180
Totals	77?	839	793 2411
Solvay—			
Delmater	158	131	152—441
Butcher	123	136	145—404
Ran	154	87	156—397
Kelly	127	163	129—419
Quinn	149	154	161—464
Totals	711	671	745 2125

Married Tuesday

Pearl Evans and Miss Bertha Henry, well known couple of Black Fork secured a marriage license in Ironton yesterday and were married there by Squire Neal. They will reside in Black Fork.

Motion Is Overruled

The Enquirer of local interest Tuesday said:

"In the personal injury suit of Harlen H. Smith, Portsmouth, O. vs the Ft. Pitt Bridge Works, United States District Judge Peck yesterday overruled the motion of the defendant to quash service of summons, and directed the defendant to plead further within 30 days."

Party Is Postponed

The Juniors and Seniors of P. H. S. have not decided on when they will hold their annual party. It was to be held some time ago, but owing to the Juniors and Seniors desire to hold dance at their party, they have decided to postpone it indefinitely.

Why Women Talk.

Men are downtown at their offices all day and have a chance to talk. The women have to stay at home, and with the exception of the milkman, the grocery man, the iceman, the old clothes man, a few miscellaneous peddlers and hucksters, and the woman next door, there is nobody to talk to. That is why wife talks her husband's head off when he comes home at night. Husbands, who through long years of experience, have grown accustomed to this merely answer "huh-huh" without hearing. Sometimes the wife will catch them unawares and between remarks will insert a request for $10 to buy a new dress with. If the husband, from force of habit answers "huh-huh," the wife, of course, gets the gown.—Cartoons Magazine.

Apostle Spoons.

Apostle spoons, also called "gossip spoons," were gilt spoons given by the sponsors or "gossips" to a child at its christening. They were so called because each spoon had a figure of an apostle on the handle. Wealthy people gave the whole twelve Apostles; those of less means and generally gave the four Evangelists; while poorer persons had to be contented with one, being generally the figure of the donor's or of the child's patron saint.

Roush Real Leader

Here are the .300 hitters in the National league the past season, the averages being given out officially today:

Name and Club	G.	AB.	R.	H.	Pct.
Bailey, Chicago	21	15	1	7	.289
Mitchell, Brooklyn	34	49	7	18	.367
Cravath, Philadelphia	83	214	34	73	.341
Thorpe, New York	62	159	16	52	.341
Roush, Cincinnati	133	504	73	162	.321
Allen, Cincinnati	15	25	7	8	.320
Hornsby, St. Louis	138	512	65	163	.318
Barber, Chicago	76	230	26	72	.313
Young, New York	130	489	73	152	.311
Groh, Cincinnati	122	448	79	139	.310
Stock, St. Louis	135	492	56	151	.307
Myers, Brooklyn	133	512	62	157	.307
Carey, Pittsburgh	66	244	41	75	.307
Meusel, Philadelphia	135	521	65	159	.305
Burns, New York	139	534	86	162	.303
Statz, New York	21	60	7	18	.300

McHenry Batted .286

Outfielder Austin McHenry of this city batted at a .286 clip for the St. Louis Cardinals the past season.

For awhile it looked like he would lead the league but he slumped during the last four weeks of the season. He took part in 110 games, made 371 trips to the plate and cracked out 106 hits.

Bowling

MASONIC LEAGUE
Games This Week
Playhouse Alleys

Monday—Jerseys vs Electrics.
Tuesday—Lactones vs Red Peppers.
Wednesday—Scribes vs Invincibles.
Thursday—Diamonds vs Rollers.

Pennant Alleys

Tuesday—Lemons vs Turkeys.

How They Stand

Team	Won	Lost	Pct
Norwoods	21	6	.778
Diamonds	16	8	.667
Lumberjacks	16	11	.592
Rollers	13	8	.619
Red Peppers	15	12	.555
Electrics	14	13	.518
Jerseys	13	14	.482
Lemons	12	15	.444
Scribes	8	13	.381
Lactones	10	17	.379
Turkeys	10	17	.370
Invincibles	5	10	.208

MASONIC LEAGUE
Lemons Win Two

Lemons—				
Lemon	132	150	157	439
Rickey	150	110	...	260
Klingman	136	165	142	443
Zollman	144	131	135	410
Johnson	111	210	126	447
Blind	...	...	125	125
Total	673	773	685	2153
Turkeys—				
Jackson	124	155	149	431
Coburn	70	114	96	259
Marling	158	135	130	423
Donaldson	137	133	173	443
Reinhard	117	143	100	439
Total	615	684	722	2021

Red Peppers Get Two

Red Peppers—				
Allard	115	111	160	359
Blind	125	...	...	125
Cookes	158	159	140	457
Pepper	134	118	151	403
Malavazos	125	142	119	356
Keyes	...	104	117	281
Total	657	691	6??	2044
Lactones—				
Mitchell	91	127	111	329
Chilton	119	113	121	353
Helsel	174	177	155	506
Talje	...	122	143	265
Blind	125	...	...	125
Leach	...	100	144	304
Blind	125	...	...	125
Total	631	639	677	2007

Wonders Win Two

Wizards—				
Kehrer	124	100	92	316
Jones	60	109	53	275
Mignet	127	121	148	396
Witchlatch	129	134	136	399
Gable	107	103	119	329
Totals	573	564	578	1715
Wonders—				
Underwood	102	132	111	345
Baker	85	85	169	339
Flowers	131	142	126	399
Bigley	97	123	107	327
Crichton	133	173	130	457
Total	554	660	632	1846

Team Pictured

The Football team of P. H. S. had its picture taken today. The Times took a panorama picture of the gridders in their uniforms this afternoon.

Attending Court

Bert Scott of Rarden while here attending court is the guest of his two daughters, Mrs. Charles Clark, Robinson avenue and Mrs. Frank Snyder, North Waller street.

At Drew Plant

William Doherty, who recently returned from Camp Sherman, has taken his old job as a cutter in the Tenth street plant of the Irving Drew Shoe company.

Selects Book Many Games

The coming basket ball season promises to be a trying one for the fast select team. They are booked to play some of the best teams in the state.

On next Friday evening, Dec. 5, they will clash with the team representing Camp Sherman. The camp teams have always been good and this year's team should be no exception.

After they dispose of Camp Sherman one of their hardest games of the season will follow that with Huntington here the following Saturday. The Huntington team is composed of men like Frankie Ross, Jimmy O. Boyle, Gentrey and other notable basket ball players of West Virginia.

This game will be the first of a series of three games the local team will play with the up-river lads. The third game will be played for a side bet.

That the local five is recognized as a coming team, can be attested by the fact that the Circleville Athletic Club and the Friars of Cincinnati, have scheduled games with them. These two teams along with Christ Church and the Dayton Triangles are recognized as the class in basket ball of Ohio. The Selects are determined to give these teams a real fight.

The game next Friday night will be called promptly at 7:30 p. m., thus giving every one an opportunity to attend the Elks' Charity Ball after the game. Season tickets are limited to one hundred and those who desire to get one should see any of the Selects before Friday.

RUTH TO TACKLE THE OLD RING GAME

LOS ANGELES, CAL. Dec. 3—"Babe" Ruth, outfielder for the Boston American league baseball club and champion home run hitter of the world may become a professional heavyweight boxer it was announced today.

"Kid" McCoy, a former pugilist and Al St. John, a motion picture actor today entered into agreement by which McCoy will train Ruth for thirty days and if his report was favorable it was said, St. John would finance a campaign of the outfielder to obtain a match with Jack Dempsey, heavyweigth champion.

Ruth has given up plans to become a motion picture actor, it was said.

Local Bowlers To Take Part In Tourney

CINCINNATI, Dec. 3—Entries for the first annual tournament of the Central States Bowlers' Association will close Monday, December 8. No entries will be received after that date. Entries can be mailed to Al. J. Steves, care the Federal Alleys, Sixth and Main streets, Cincinnati, O.

Bowlers from Portsmouth are expected to take a prominent part in the contest for the prize money, which will exceed $5,000. Nine handsome gold medals also are to be awarded to the winners in each event. More than 200 teams are expected to compete. To date 75 local teams have entered and more than that number from the outside.

Included in the famous Fives in the tournament will be the Old Bonds of Columbus, O., the Lincoln Life of Ft. Wayne, Ind.; The Capitol Five of Indianapolis and the Rivals and Potters of Cincinnati.

The question of where the next tournament will be held will be decided at the annual meeting here January 2. Dayton and Indianapolis are after it.

An innovation that should prove popular is the arrangement to be made in the schedule whereby all events can be rolled by any bowler in one day. This arrangement will be carried out wherever possible. The entry fee of $3 per man for each event also should prove a winner.

Special invitations are extended to bowlers in towns, cities and villages adjacent to the big cities to send in their entry.

Trimmers Beat Messengers

The Trimmers won two out of three games from the Messengers in the Selby League at the Crystal Palace bowling alleys Monday night.

Faught was high man with a score of 532, and Sodaro second with 512. All the Selby bowlers are fighting hard to be in the first six highest who will be sent to Cincinnati this month to roll in the Central States Bowling Tournament.

Last night's scores:

Messengers—				
Collis	105	119	143	367
Prosch	151	145	136	432
Duke	118	129	000	247
Fryer	56	000	116	212
McHenry	000	107	117	224
Faught	268	159	135	562
Total	678	680	647	2011
Trimmers—				
Sodaro	171	200	133	512
H. Hobstetter	113	103	132	251
Miller	127	148	98	373
J. Hobstetter	142	96	168	406
Knapp	134	100	110	353
Total	690	659	676	2025

"Carpet-Bagger."

It is said that the term "carpet-bagger" was first applied to political adventurers in America. It was designed to describe a needy political adventurer who wanders over the country pandering to the prejudices of the ignorant in order to try to get into office. He was so called because he was regarded as having only enough property to fill a carpet bag.

The Almighty Dollar.

Bribery has been the downfall of many public men during the course of history. Francis Bacon, the greatest thinker of his age, was ruined by his cupidity. Lord Chancellor Macclesfield and Waterbury were destroyed by the same vice. Benedict Arnold sold a fort in New York to the enemy for $31,575. For this same sin Gorgei betrayed Austria, Ahithopel forsook David and Judas delivered up Christ.

Agile Rhinoceros.

The rhinoceros, notwithstanding its unwieldy shape and short legs, is one of the most agile of beasts. A horseman can scarcely manage to overtake it, and in strength it is perhaps unsurpassed by any animal in the forest. In a single combat no animal but the elephant can stand up against it. To kill a rhinoceros a rifle ball must strike behind the shoulder.

Team Workers To Make Final Report Tonight

Tonight at 7:30 o'clock in the Elks' Club rooms the first membership meeting of the Chamber of Commerce will be held with several matters to be discussed which will be of the utmost importance.

Every member has been requested to be in attendance at tonight's meeting, the notice sent each member requesting them to bring a new member with them. In this way it is hoped to reach the set goal of 1,500.

At this session the team workers will make a final report on the membership campaign which resulted in more than 1,400 members being secured for the Portsmouth Chamber of Commerce. These workers should be given the glad hand tonight and every member should be there to take a part in making the team workers feel that their work was all that it could have been.

A constitution and by-laws will also be presented for approval tonight by the committee named to adopt the rules by which the Chamber of Commerce will be governed. This is the democratic organization.

Several talks will be on the program the chief speaker of the evening to be O. H. Stone, Field Secretary of the American City Bureau who will take for his subject, "The Working Plan of a Modern Chamber of Commerce." Besides this main address there will be short talks by local men.

NO APPRECIABLE REDUCTION IN TAXES IN NEXT FISCAL YEAR, SAYS SEC. GLASS

WASHINGTON, Dec. 3—No appreciable reduction in taxes for the next fiscal year is to be thought of, Secretary Glass declared in his annual report sent today to Congress. Government receipts must be kept at their present figure, he said, in order to bring government borrowing to an end.

Facing expenditures estimated at $5,629,486,759 for the year ending June 30, 1920, and $4,473,096,358 for the year ending June 30, 1921, the government must enforce rigid economy, Mr. Glass declared. He placed the deficit for the current year at $3,005,000,000 and for the year ending June 30, 1921 at approximately $2,005,000,000.

On this basis, Mr. Glass urged Congress to deny "every appropriation for expenditure in new fields." He said the same policy should obtain until the government had its sinking fund well under way and repayment of the war debt "satisfactorily begun."

Mr. Glass charged that excessive government expenditures were "the most vital factors," in increasing the cost of living and argued that it was urgently necessary to keep down public expense for this reason as well as because of the drain on the taxpayers.

The present revenue laws need revising to meet new conditions, he said. He referred particularly to the excess profits tax laws which he described as being "objectionable even as a war-time expedient."

Mr. Glass also urged redrafting of the revenue laws to prevent the evasion of federal taxes through the investment of wealth in the obligations of states and municipalities. He said laws should be enacted which would compel the reporting of such incomes, although they should be wholly tax exempt, and that that sum with other income of an individual should be computed as the basis of assessing federal taxes on the amount derived from taxable sources.

Relations between conditions in Europe and those in the United States were discussed also by Mr. Glass. He said that, undoubtedly there was a very great need in Europe for financial assistance, but that the situation had been much exaggerated.

Returning to the estimated government expenditures for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1921 Mr. Glass said the military establishment would ask appropriations aggregating $989,537,657. Of this sum, $897,302,000 would be required, he said, for maintenance of the army proper while $85,408,000 would be apportioned to the national guard. The Military Academy would receive $3,778,637.

For the navy, the appropriation of $542,031,894, including $185,248,000 for a building program is to be asked.

An aggregate of $191,578,600 will be sought for public works. In this is included funds for rivers and harbors' improvement totalling $53,670,265. Fortifications arsenals and military posts will require about $129,000,000.

The legislative establishment will need $9,025,207, it was estimated, while the executive branches of the government combined will seek a total of $149,111,463. Chief among the latter departmental expenditures is an estimate of $73,405,191 for the Treasury Department. This sum which is much larger than in former years indicates the added expense to be borne in the enforcement of prohibition. Included in this also is the appropriation of $37,528,162 to be asked by the Department of Agriculture for carrying on its field activities.

The judiciary will ask for $1,674,190. For foreign intercourse, appropriations totalling $11,213,250 will be sought. Appropriations for the Department of State, exclusive of the funds for use in foreign work, will be $1,571,359, and for the executive departments, appropriations to be sought will be as follows: War Department proper, $6,615,185; Navy Department, proper, $3,097,870; Interior Department, $6,257,185; Post Office Department $2,003,870; Department of Commerce, $42,778,337; Department of Justice $704,540, and Department of Labor, $1,500,490.

Approximately $50,000,000 will be sought by the various executive branches also to be used in public works. This latter includes $31,000,000 to be asked by the Navy Department for work in navy yards docks, etc., and $22,000,000 for the Interior Department's reclamation service.

The Shipping Board has estimated its needs at $447,775,961 to be used in operation of the merchant marine and completing the building program.

The administration program for rehabilitating soldiers and sailors call for an appropriation of $35,750,000. This figure, however, is subject to change because statistics as to certain projected activities were incomplete.

Work of the Federal Trade Commission will require $1,298,130. Expenditures of the District of Columbia government were estimated at $19,179,000.

Permanent annual appropriations for the year amount to $1,425,407,752. These included $1,017,500,000 for interest on the public debt; customs and internal revenue, $35,207,000; sinking fund $257,500,000, and miscellaneous $95,500,000.

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THE MIGHTY STRUGGLE

ACCORDING to a report, issued by the war department, the total of armies sent to the continent of Europe was 2,084,000. Of these 1,200,000 actually saw battle service.

The armies were organized into combat divisions of 28,000 officers and men. The British divisions were smaller with fifteen thousand, the German and French with about 12,000 each.

The combat troops fought for 200 days and participated in thirteen distinct battles, ten of these were joint with French and English, one with the Italians and two distinctly by themselves. They held a front of 101 miles which was greater than the British held, in the final and decisive campaign. They captured 63,000 prisoners, 1,378 pieces of artillery, 708 trench mortars and 9,650 machine guns.

The two distinctly American operations were the battles of St. Mihiel and the Meuse-Argonne. The former may well be called a solely American affair as they did all the fighting, which was crowned with quick and brilliant success and regarded of the highest importance, because it drove the Germans out of a salient that projected far into France and was regarded as specially dangerous at all times. Some parallel is drawn between Argonne and Gettysburg. In the first the American forces numbered the big total of 550,000 and the battle was characterized by the most tremendous artillery introduction that the war had seen up to that time. For four hours a steady stream of cannon and shell were poured upon the German positions and in that time 1,000,000 rounds. At Gettysburg the union batteries fired only 33,000 rounds in three days.

It was at the Meuse and in the Argonne that the supreme test came between the Americans and the Germans. This engagement was planned by the American commanders and conducted by them, with the French supporting. Pershing said: "Its object is to draw the best German divisions to our front and consume them." Hindenburg and Ludendorff, who hated Americans in a way that constantly found malignant expression, vowed they would crush the swine from across the sea. Against them they flung the pride and flower of the Huns. Prussians, Bavarians, Hanoverians, who boasted no enemy could stand before them, let alone overcome them. Pershing brought up his full battle strength, throwing in even a raw brigade or two. With a dash and vigor that the German generals, with their orderly and automatic brigades, had not thought possible, the Americans hurled themselves into the fray. For forty-seven days the engagement raged in continuous and boisterous fury. The objective was Sedan, attaining which the German communications, back of their lines would be cut, and then defeat their certain portion. Realizing this Hindenburg and Ludendorff brought up the best they had, even the redoubtable Fifth army; but all in vain. The Americans might be stopped briefly, but they could not be staid, for there were a million, two hundred thousand now engaged and the whole German army couldn't bring them to pause. Rising to the final war movement on November 1st the most desperate resistance failed to bring them to pause and in seven days Sedan fell, the French, for patriotic reasons, being allowed to take the city. The Germans admitted defeat and on the 11th the war came to an end.

The Meuse-Argonne campaign has been compared to the battle of the Wilderness, the longest of the Civil war and lasted for eight days and which was fought over similarly rough ground, with desperate resistance and tremendous casualties.

But there were twelve times as many engaged in the Meuse-Argonne battle and it lasted six times as long. The carnage among the enemy was worse than among the Americans, though the latter counted up 120,000 killed and wounded.

Come out tonight and have your say as to how the chamber of commerce shall be run.

MONARCH FOR A DAY

SHE MARRIED AN AVERAGE MAN

BY ZOE BECKLEY

My mother-in-law (may the gods give me patience! How long, how long is she going to stay in this little four-room flat of ours!) said to me today, as she sat placidly sewing buttons on Jim's shirts, "Ann dear, I think if you would give in about this one thing—your work—it would bring you as well as James a great deal of happiness."

"Why do you think so?" I asked feeling, although I am twenty-four, and mother Salsbery is fifty-one like a kindergarten teacher trying to develop a backward pupil.

"Because a true woman always finds her greatest joy in unselfishness."

"That depends," I answered, passing over the "true woman" part, "on what you call unselfishness. If by continuing my writing, for which the 'Messenger' is beginning to pay me well, I had to neglect my home and my husband, keeping it up solely to please my vanity or buy luxuries for myself, I should see justice in what you say. But when the only object is to cater to a prejudice of Jim's——"

"My dear!" interrupted Mother Salsbery honestly shocked. "He only wishes to protect and spare you!"

"I don't wish to be protected and spared," I retorted warmly. "I wish to develop myself, to live my own life. You might as well say parents are justified in preventing their children from marrying on the ground that they are sparing them life's battles. A child has a right to buy his own experiences, with pain and sacrifice, if necessary. I have heard parents say, 'Oh, my Susie has everything she wants. We humor her in all her wishes. Why should she want to marry and leave us? How can they judge what Susie longs for? How dare they call imprisonment protection? Why is it 'selfishness' when I carry out my wishes and not 'selfishness' when Jim carries out his?"

"By her marriage vow a wife promises to love, honor and obey her husband, and to be guided by his will and his wishes. Submission is a beautiful trait. Most women would give anything to have the love and strength James puts at your disposal," said my mother-in-law, hardly able to wrestle successfully with the main issue.

"In that case," I returned, "there would be no question of unselfishness. Such women would be getting just what they wanted. There would be no 'giving in' no 'submission'. There is a time to 'give in' and a time not to. The mere act of 'giving in' brings gain to no one. More lives have been wrecked by submission than by opposition. The time to 'give in' is when, by doing so somebody's character is strengthened or some constructively principle is served.

"In our case my 'giving in' would represent tyrannical selfishness on Jim's part and loss of character on mine. I would be 'giving in' simply to have peace—to end an uncomfortable situation just as a foolish mother hands her child the candy to quiet it no matter what trouble it means afterwards!"

There was an uncomfortable pause. Jim's mother bit off her thread with the air of one who, after the struggle is resigned to disaster.

"'Tyrannical selfishness' is a strong term, my dear," she fired as a last despairing shot. "You may live to see the day when you would gladly exchange a very questionable freedom for James' 'tyrannical selfishness.' Disgrace is harder to bear than—than a husband's tyranny."

Did she intend a reference to Eric Sands? Does she know about him? Has Jim——

I don't know. When I looked questioningly at her she rose abruptly and left the room.

Things are miserable. I am weary and bewildered.

(To be continued)

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He was very stately.

And extremely dign'fied.

In a high silk hat.

And a braided frock-coat.

And on his chin.

He had a wisp of hair.

That looked very much.

Like a misplaced eye-brow.

And he stopped me.

Right on Fifth Avenue.

And shook my hand.

And began to giggle.

And the longer we stood.

The more he giggled.

And I got a whiff.

Of his breath.

And quite understood.

And began to giggle too.

For behind the frivolous.

Mask of a giggler.

One may find a cold quart.

And almost anyone.

Would die giggling for that.

And so we stood.

While people passed by.

Wondering just how it was.

We were all [illegible].

And finally [illegible] away.

Motioning me to follow.

And we got to his house.

And he put his finger.

To his lips for silence.

And we tip-toed.

Through a long hallway.

And then down some steps.

And around some more steps.

And he would stop.

Now and then.

And signal for silence.

And finally we were.

In a great big cellar.

And he took me.

Around behind a furnace.

And there was an old cat.

With a litter of kittens.

And he giggled some more.

And didn't say a word.

About where he got the stuff.

That gave him the breath.

And I left him.

Standing there giggling.

And so far as I know.

He is still giggling.

I wouldn't drink.

His giggle water anyway.

It makes you undignified.

WHO'S WHO IN THE DAY'S NEWS

SIR HORACE RUMBOLD

Announcement that Sir Horace Rumbold has been appointed British ambassador to Poland gives assurance of the services of a trained diplomat in that difficult and delicate post. He is half American, his mother having been Caroline Harrington, whose father, at the time of the marriage, was American minister in Berne, Switzerland.

SIR RUMBOLD

Sir Horace has been in the diplomatic service since 1888, when he was an attache at The Hague. In 1891 he was assigned to Cairo. The following year the British government granted him an allowance for his knowledge of Arabic. He was sent to Teheran in 1895, and in 1896 won a further allowance for his knowledge of Persian. In 1897 he was transferred to Vienna and he reached a first secretaryship in 1904, when he went to Madrid.

In 1906 he was charge d'affaires in Munich proceeding from there to Tokio as counselor of the British embassy in 1909. In 1910 he won an allowance for his knowledge of Japanese. He served as charge in Tokio during much of his four years of service there, obtaining the coronation medal in 1911. In 1913 he was transferred to Berlin as counselor, remaining there until the outbreak of the war.

After a period in the foreign office in London he was sent as British minister to Switzerland in 1916, and while there received the decoration of K. C. M. G. He is fifty years old and the ninth baronet of his family, the title having first been bestowed in 1779.

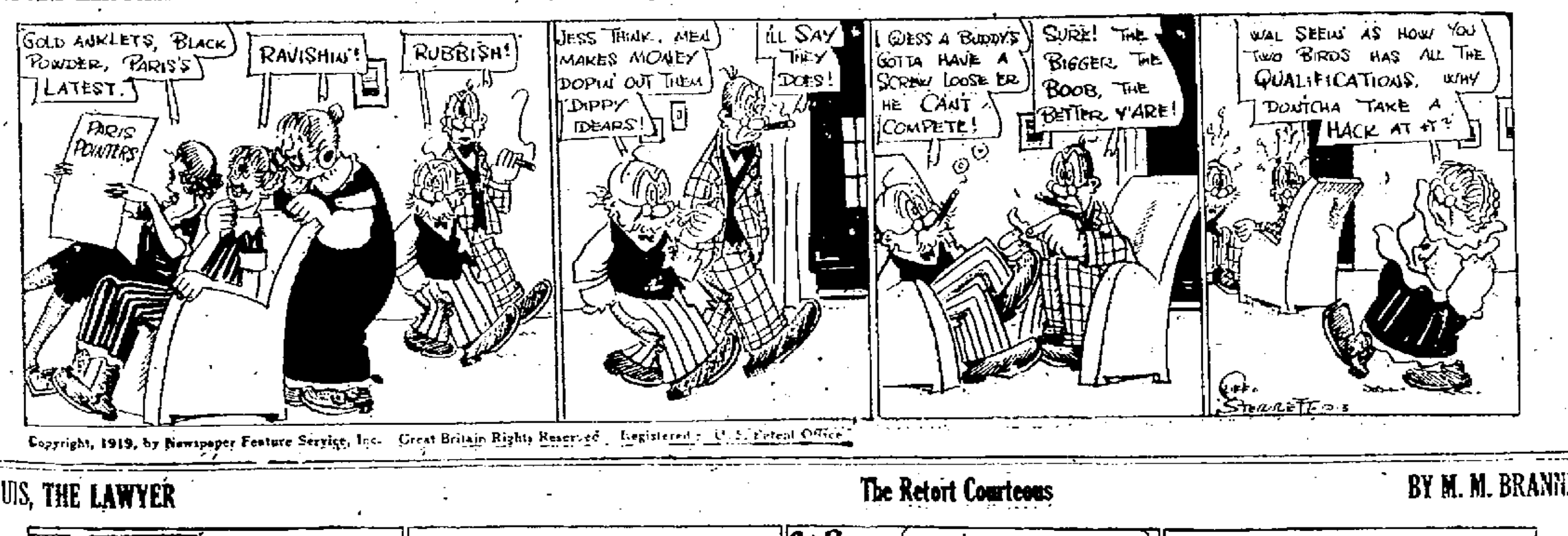
No Better

J. P. McMahon, Eleventh street, who suffered a paralytic stroke Wednesday afternoon while on his N. & W. engine, remains in about the same condition.

POLLY AND HER PALS

It's A Cinch They Couldn't Do Worse Than What's Been Done

BY CLIFF STERRETT



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LOUIS, THE LAWYER

The Retort Courteous

BY M. M. BRANNER

Abe Martin

Miss Tawney Apple is havin' her eyebrows trolled out. Lots o' folks look shorter when they stand on their dignity.

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Arguments Are Being Made In The Maddy Murder Trial

At five o'clock yesterday afternoon when common pleas court adjourned for the day, Attorney B. F. Kimble had concluded his address to the jury in behalf of Thomas Maddy, Harden township farmer, on trial for second degree murder for the killing of T. E. Thompson on August 16, last. Attorney Kimble spoke for a little more than an hour and he made a strong plea for the accused man. The court room was packed with a throng of spectators interested in the proceedings throughout the day and again this morning the lobby was filled with persons anxious to hear the closing arguments of Judge Blair for the defendant and Prosecutor Sheppard on behalf of the state, which followed the convening of court this morning. Then will come the charge of the court and it is expected that the case will get to the jury shortly before the noon hour.

The defense played its trump cards yesterday when Thomas Maddy, the accused, and his wife, Abagail, the only eye witnesses to the shooting, took the witness stand and explained the events leading up to the trouble which resulted in Maddy shooting Thompson twice, one of which caused the latter's death.

Mrs. Maddy related of her husband having altercations with Thompson on different occasions just previous to the tragedy. She said she and her husband were working in the tobacco field on the hill on the morning of August 18 when she observed Thompson coming through the field toward them. He appeared to be angry and stopped in front of her husband, saying something about the worms eating the tobacco up and declaring they must do more work. "He was cursing us," said the witness and I ordered him to leave after Tom had told him that we were doing all we could do and I then threw a rock at him as he declared with an oath that he'd go when he got ready. Thompson caught the rock and hurled it back at me viciously and then made a move toward his hip pocket as to draw a gun saying, 'I'll kill all of you.' Two shots then rang out and Thompson started walking away. We ran home as fast as we could go as we thought Thompson was going after his hired hands to get us."

Defendant Goes On The Stand

The defendant testified that he took the gun to the field with him because Thompson had made threats against him and that he feared him. He said he shot because he thought Thompson was about to kill his wife. He denied saying that after he shot Thompson in the arm he lost his head and shot him again. He asserted that he was unaware that he had shot Thompson twice until an hour or so later. Although they were grilled on cross examination by Prosecutor Sheppard both Maddy and his wife remained unshaken in their stories.

The reputation of the defendant as a quiet and peaceable man was fully established through the calling of a number of prominent citizens of that section, including F. M. Powell, J. E. Powell, Peter Bendling, Alfred Browning, Frank McIntyre, Frank Moore, Constable Rocky Newman, T. W. Thatcher, Albert Adkins, Wesley Marrs, Joe Marrs, Harrison White, Harry White, John Brulney, Squire J. N. Kates, William Ross. These same witnesses testified that the opposite was true of the victim of the shooting, all of whom said that he was of a quarrelsome disposition and frequently in trouble. Practically all of these witnesses had known Thompson nearly all his life time and several were his former neighbors.

Several witnesses, including Conrad Roth, Joseph M. Walsh, William Freeman, A. B. Jones, John P. Taylor and L. Taylor were called by the state in rebuttal and they testified that in their opinion the reputation of Thompson for peace and quiet, was good, although the latter said on cross examination that reports he had heard concerning Thompson in that respect were unfavorable.

In New Dress

The front of the Wolff Clothing company's store on Chillicothe street has been brightened up for the holidays with a fresh coat of paint.

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Says He Fired At Random; Bullet Kills Grayson Man

Grayson, Ky., December 2.—Tom Broomfield, 28 years old, of Grahn, ten miles west of here today fired a rifle at random. The bullet struck Lewis Brown, 32 years old, in the back of the head, killing him instantly. Brown was 200 yards away. Broomfield says he did not see Brown. Brown leaves a widow and four children. Broomfield was lodged in jail here and will have an examining trial Saturday.

Hocking Miners Idle

Athens, O., Dec. 3.—Not a pound of coal was loaded for the trade by union miners of the Hocking sub-district today, as no men responded to the invitation of the owners to return to work at an increase of 14 percent in wages. Only a few small wagon mines worked in some parts of Southeastern Ohio. Reports this evening from the Pomeroy Bend district were that no union miners entered the works there today, completing the deadlock in this section of the state.

Plan For All Day Meeting

Loyal Workers of the Grandview Avenue Christian church are going to have an all day meeting at the church Thursday, each member bringing her needle, thimble, scissors and a well filled lunch basket.

There will be a social hour between the hours of 2 and 3 in the afternoon.

The class is working on quilts and other articles which will be sold at a bazaar to be held just before Christmas.

Burns Fatal To Child

Goldie, five-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Evans of Hanging Rock died Tuesday in great agony from the effect of burns sustained on Monday afternoon. The little girl was left alone in the house for a few minutes while her mother went into the yard at their home and an open door permitted a draft to blow her dress against a hot stove. Her clothing became ignited and before the flames could be extinguished she had been fatally burned.

Woman Killed By Auto

Mrs. N. J. Hunt of Huntington, W. Va. was struck and instantly killed by an automobile on the concrete road above Proctorville about eight o'clock last evening. The driver of the car is not known as he did not stop to investigate the damage he had done. Sheriff Hutchinson of Ironton is investigating the fatality.

Break Training Table

The training table of the P. H. S. athletes has been discontinued for about a week, pending the training of the basketball squad.

The table was first inaugurated last season by Coach Robert C. Hess and has been an unqualified success.

Miss Mary Stokley serves the athletes with the noon luncheon each day.

Varga Flopped

For the first time since coming to Portsmouth several months ago, Joe Varga went down to defeat last night at the hands of Charles C. Fox of Cleveland.

The match was the fastest and best ever seen in the city, as both men were out for blood and, while not taking any unnecessary chances, they overlooked no opportunity to work on their opponent. The first fall came fifty minutes and five seconds after the men went on the mat, Fox securing his favorite hold, a double wristlock on Varga, forcing the latter to give up to avoid having his arm broken.

The second fall was secured in four minutes and 10 seconds with the same hold. As in his previous match with Varga, Fox devoted most of his attention to wristlocks, and being fresh and in fine condition he wore Varga down and finally secured his hold in the manner he wanted, after which it was only a matter of seconds until Varga was forced to surrender the fall. Fox proved himself master of the local man at all stages of the bout, never giving Varga a chance for a really dangerous hold.

Eli and Stephen Fox, the two little sons of Fox, took the house by storm with their boxing and wrestling, which was put on as a preliminary. The children, who are only six and seven years old, are regular chips of the old block and enjoy a turn on the mat as well as their father does.

M. P. O'Mara acted as referee and stakeholder and Ed Keisler as timekeeper.

DARING BANDIT

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captured the bandit.

Irwin also had aided in apprehending Carlisle in 1916 after he had held up a Union Pacific train near Hanna.

When captured the outlaw made no effort to conceal his identity. He was given first aid treatment, and then strapped to a pack horse and carried down the mountain. He told members of the posse that he had been in the Laramie Peak country since he robbed the Los Angeles limited.

Carlisle's trail through a heavy snow had been followed since early Sunday morning by two posses. Early today he had escaped capture by jumping from a window of the Widow Bray's ranch house when some of his pursuers entered.

Drive Through Blizzard

Sheriff A. S. Roach of Wheatland, who shot Carlisle before his capture, [illegible] one posse which drove through a bitter blizzard Sunday to the ranch of Bob Fletcher at the head of Fish Creek on the south side of Laramie Peak. The snow became so deep that it was impossible to proceed further with horses and they made their way to the top of the peak on snowshoes. [illegible]

[illegible] had stopped [illegible] first at the ranch [illegible] William Hill.

Fresh Trail is Found

This morning the bandit [illegible] posse [illegible] on his trail [illegible] the Williams ranch [illegible] Laramie Peak. [illegible] a bandit was [illegible] the present.

[illegible] the state penitentiary on November 15 in a box of shirts shipped from the prison factory. In making his escape after robbing the limited, he was wounded in the right hand. He was unable to get medical aid and the bullet was still in his hand when captured.

Boasts of Identity

While roaming about from ranch to ranch in the Laramie country, he made no attempt to conceal his identity. In fact at many of the ranches he boasted of it. It was not until Saturday that any of his involuntary hosts notified the officers of his whereabouts.

Carlisle will be kept under guard at the hospital here for several days and then he will be returned to the penitentiary at Rawlins.

Many thousands of dollars were spent in attempting to capture the bandit.

To Name Staff

At the meeting of the High School teachers yesterday, the subject of nomination for an Annual staff was brought up.

The teachers, as usual, will select three students for each position on the staff, and the students will later select their choice for the office.

WITH THE SICK

Miss Violet Stevens, 1222 Franklin avenue, who has been ill with la grippe is better.

Marion White 1221 Franklin Avenue, who has been ill for several weeks threatened with typhoid fever is showing signs of an early recovery.

Sea-Island Cotton.

Practically all of the sea-island cotton is produced in the states of Georgia, Florida and South Carolina, the name coming from the chain of islands off the Carolina coast. It is well named sea-island cotton, as when grown away from the coast the fiber [illegible]

THE MOVIES

Adolph Zukor Presents
ELSIE FERGUSON
in
"A Society Exile"
An ARTCRAFT Picture

New Elsie Ferguson Picture Drama of High Society Life

Artcraft Star is a Talented American Heiress in Society Exile

One of the most faithful portrayals of English society life either on the stage or screen is shown in Elsie's Ferguson's newest Artcraft picture, "A Society Exile," which is coming to the Lyric Theatre today and tomorrow. This photoplay does not agree with the false theory held by some Americans that all British Noblemen are idlers and fortune-seekers. Only one person in the picture is of this type, the penniless Lord Bissett, who sues desperately for the hand of Nora Shard, the charming young American heiress which is played by Miss Ferguson. Foiled in his play to gain control of the girl's millions, he plots to disgrace her, and succeeds so well that she is hooted throughout England as the mistress of another man and is finally practically banished from the island. Heartbroken she takes up residence in Venice under another name, and in the beautiful Italian city finally finds happiness and her vindication. "A Society Exile," which was adapted from the play, "We Can't Be as Bad as All That," by Henry Arthur Jones, is considered Miss Ferguson's most powerful starring vehicle to date. It was directed by George Fitzmaurice, and the cast supporting Miss Ferguson is an exceptionally strong one.

A new Mack-Sennett comedy, "The Foolish Age", is an added attraction.

OBITUARY

Mrs. Rettie Lynd Funeral

"Funeral services for the late Mrs. Rettie E. Lynd, wife of John S. Lynd, were held this afternoon in the chapel of the Rice & Rice undertaking establishment and were very largely attended by sympathetic friends. The floral tributes were so large and numerous that it was necessary to take them to the cemetery on an auto truck. Rev. W. L. Dexter, pastor of the Methodist church, was the officiating clergyman and ministered comfort to the sorrowing relatives and neighbors. The pallbearers were H. M. Johns, C. E. Mouser, Vic Rathbun, David M. Davies, John W. Hatchett and J. C. C. Russell.

"Rock of Ages" was sung by the following quartet: Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Reinhard, H. C. Dannenbrink and Mrs. George Meldrim. Mrs. J. C. C. Russell, lady commander of Hanford Review, No. 23, W. B. A. of the Maccabees, presided at the lodge ritual, which was impressively rendered. Interment was in the family plot in Hanford cemetery."—Hanford (Cal.) Sentinel.

Mrs. Lynd was a sister of Mrs. J. B. Bennett of Sciotoville and Mrs. Addison Fullerton of Minford.

Thomas Davisson Funeral

The funeral of Thomas Davisson, well known farmer of near Franklin Furnace who died Monday night after an extended illness will be held this afternoon at two o'clock from the Ohio Baptist church near Hanging Rock. Burial will be made in Davisson cemetery under the direction of Bingham and Jones undertakers of Ironton.

Installing New Press

The Ironton Register is installing a 16 page Duplex Tublar Press and a complete sterotype equipment. The new press has a speed of 30,000 papers printed, folded and counted, per hour.

17 ABOVE THIS A. M.

It was 17 above zero this morning.

This is the official reading of Weather Observer Dr. H. A. Schirrmann. The mercury began dropping yesterday afternoon, and at five o'clock this morning the minimum reading was recorded. The day dawned bright and sunshiny, just the kind of weather that adds zest to Christmas shopping.

William and Dorothy Rayburn, 1220 Franklin avenue, who have been ill with diphtheria are able to be out.

Buy Your Tickets Now For Elks Charity Ball

Charity Ball.

The day for this memorable event, Friday December 5 is almost here. It has been anticipated with real pleasure by hundreds of people in the city as there is no question but what the dance will be a remarkable success.

Simultaneously dances will be held in the Elks Hall, Baesman's Academy and the Ben Hur Hall. The best music has been engaged for these dances and no doubt more people will be dancing Friday night than any other single night in the city's history.

The incentive is that every penny of the proceeds will be used to put real Xmas sunshine in worthy home on the glorious Christmas day. Well filled baskets are to be distributed among the poor families of the city and they will be filled with the proceeds of the Charity Ball. So the more tickets you buy the more baskets will be filled.

Brumfield's Musical Five will furnish the music in the Elks Hall, Amzy Asbell's orchestra will be stationed in Baesman's Academy and Anderson's orchestra will play in Ben Hur Hall.

All kinds of refreshments will be served in these halls and the general committee has perfected plans that will provide for the entertainment of each guest.

There will also be added attractions that will go to make the dance one long to be remembered. One of these features will be the appearance of the River City band in each ball Friday night. It will play two selections in each hall, starting in Baesman's Academy at 9 o'clock and then moving on to the Elks Club and the Ben Hur Hall. Vaudeville stunts will also be performed by teams from the Sun theatre.

Charged With Forgery

Promptly on his arrival home from Cincinnati yesterday afternoon with Mrs. Rosa Poole in custody Sheriff E. E. Rickey left for Grand Rapids, Mich., to bring back to this city C. E. Heeter, alias Young, who is wanted here on an alleged charge of forging the name of Dave Ferrell, proprietor of the Victory Cafeteria to several checks.

Heeter, who was formerly employed as chef at the cafeteria and, it is claimed he pilfered several of the firm's blank checks before leaving several weeks ago. When several of these checks came through the local bank for payment, Mr. Ferrell pronounced them rank forgeries and resulted in a warrant being secured for Heeter's arrest. The man was taken into custody by the Grand Rapids authorities at the instance of Sheriff Rickey.

Mrs. Poole, who was arrested on a warrant charging her with abandoning her children, was released on bond yesterday for her appearance in the probate court to answer to the complaint which was filed by her husband Sam Poole.

SEEK PRETTY GIRL WHO FLEECED THEM OUTOF HARD EARNED MONEY

CHILLICOTHE, O., Dec. 3.—Ten local men are hunting for a girl, 18 years old and pretty, who swindled them out of $3,000 on an oil land deal. The girl arrived here a month ago and made the acquaintance of the victims, representing herself to be a daughter of a wealthy rancher of Dallas, Texas.

After being entertained by them, she left, and afterward sent them letters saying her father had made a rich strike in Texas oil land and asking them if they desired stock in it.

They subscribed to "shares" from $100 to $800. Certificates of stock were received from Newark, N. J. This led to an investigation on the part of the of the men. The search for Daisy is the result of their investigation in Texas.

VOORHEES FILES CHARGES AT IRONTON

The Irontonian of local interest Wednesday morning said:

"Charles Sheets and Charles Roach, both of Sherritts, this county, were before Magistrate Upp yesterday and entered pleas of guilty to having in possession and control of a ferret. The men were each assessed $25 and costs.

Charges were also filed yesterday by F. D. Voorhees and R. L. Shumate, game wardens of Portsmouth, and Jas. Chaffin, local game warden, against Supt. Allen Thuma of the street railway company, A. C. Schubart of the Model Laundry, Dennis Holderby and James Martin for the use of a ferret on a hunting trip to Sherrits about November 18th. All the defendants entered pleas of not guilty and will have a hearing on December 11th.

BIG DANCE WILHELMETTE HALL TONIGHT

Another big dance will be given in Wilhelmette Hall tonight.

adv 3-1t noon and night

Dorothy and Alberta, children of Mr. and Mrs. Charles J. Walters, 1220 Franklin avenue, who have been suffering with tonsilitis, are better.

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"The Foolish Age"

NOTICE! Beginning today the Lyric will open at 1:15 p. m. and run continuous shows until 10 p. m.—No more closing up during supper period.